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rearenteed to be the gonnine product of the ules of the grape, and are not artificially made from raisins and ourrants, as is-generally the case with cheap Wines: Sample bottles and smaller quantities will be supplied at proportionate wholesale rates. We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits to Colony or from our authorised Agents at the

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lrish— A John Jameson's Old, Green Capsulo B John Jameson's Fine Old.

Green Capsule...
C John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule .... All these are very fluo and old. Chas been stocked in Hongkong in wood for 20 years. AMERICAN-

Gennine Bourbon Whisky, Pine Old, Red Capsule with our Same and Trade

Mark 315.00 Sample bottles and smaller quantities will supplied at proportionate wholesale rates. We only guarantes our Wines and Spirits to be genuine when bought direct from ne i Colony or from our authorised Agents at the on the 4th inst.

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HONGEONO, APRIL 7TH, 1894.

it should carry on the business of a Trust tion was felt to be much needed in Hong-Colony or from our authorised Agents at the grown the existing facilities, the advent of the new Bank was bailed with eatisfaction. Unfortunately for the shareholders, its programme has been propaged capital was in sterling, and has been swalthe capital been in ellver the Bank would no it would naturally have had to face the same inconvenience that has been experienced. ing deposits, that could have been met by made. At the Police Court yesterday a silk calling in its loans as occasion required, and stealer was tentenced to four months imprisonby encouraging silver rather than gold decided to give up the business of a Trust and No. 108, Bonham Strand were on fire. business. While wishing it all success on cretion of the Board in making the change, Bank of China, Japan, and the Straits for the defendants. was formed to supply to be met now that the Bank in question has abandoned. the attempt? If the financial facilities of the Colony were inadequate at the time the

either in the depreciation of stocks or the excellence. The engraver has also done good difficulty experienced in obtaining the work. be gonuine when bought direct from us in the accommodation required for the conduct of legitimate business. There is fortunately some indication now that money is Morning Herald save :- There is an important general meeting of shareholders to be held at beginning to flow back to the colony, exchange having fallon to a point at which it saving of that often considerable proportion of The directors beg to submit the general balance seems once more safe to convert sterling. into silver and send it out to the East for investment, for although there may still be would that man be a public benefactor who some further fall it can hardly be so great as to counterbalance the higher rate of winning a larger amount from less refractory ores. interest obtainable here as compared with that obtainable at home. It will take time. however, for confidence to be fully restored, faith, would greatly add to national wealth. In and as the exchange banks will necessarily this colony, as in Victoria, there are areas proved continue their policy of keeping the bulk of their assets in a liquid condition and declining to increase their loans against securities, no great measure of relief can be looked for from that quarter at escape of the free gold. It has undergone a test any very early period. But while we are by the Government Matallargist and other groaning under the pinch of financial salt of the trial is encouraging. Out of a stringency there is a good deal of money | quantity of gold passed through the machine in awaiting sound investments, as is shown by the readiness with which any issue of wellsecured debentures is taken up, as for instance that of the Shanghai Waterworks

made at Goulburn have also been good. Tailings from Your which had been repeatedly shares the order of the preferred banks (the latter agent payment of five banks (the latter agent payment payment of five banks (the latter agent payment stance that of the Shanghai Waterworks stuff to be put through are samples from the efficiency out of current revenue, and the voyages tipster is supremely conscious of the fact that Co. Whether it would be possible at the street gutters and from creeks near the town. present time to float a gennine Trust and Loan Company with a substantial capital, ough to be words extracting. working on a strictly silver basis, may perbans be doubtful, for trust money of course could not be used to subscribe for shares, will differ from the steamers now on that line in and there is comparatively little absolutely | that, instead of a straight stem, she will have a free floating capital available; but provided long, graceful, overhaoging bow. Her interior such an institution could be floated it would steamers, the first-class accommodation being have a very prosperous career before it, and forward, and the second and third class aft. In

curities, with the result that unsound spet the directors have given the name of Ernest culation was encouraged and on any collapse | Simons to the new vessel. She is to be the first of values many of the borrowers were unable to discharge their debts and the lenders Japas; but before definitely taking up this ser. By amount of purchase account of suffered heavy lesses. The same policy has vice the will make some experimental voyages steamers there being little sale for Irish Whisky in the brought some of the Australian Companies. to grief, but with caution and reasonably Per doz Com skilful management Trust and Loan Companies are amongst the soundest of commercial undertakings.

and enterprise of the Colony. Once

the Company was formed with substan-

in attracting deposits, and what op-

portunities there are for the safe and pro-

fitable employment of funds in the Colony

The Austrian Lloyd's steamer Vindobona has eft Bingspore for this port.

The Ben Line steamer Bonlawers, from Aut werp and London, left Singapore for this port House. Three persons were seriously injured. The P. M. S.S. Co. s extra steamer City of Sydney, with mails, So., left Sau Francisco for this port via Yokohama on the 4th instant.

The colipse of the sun yesterday was not seen to advantage at Hongkong, in fact not at all by most people, the sky being overcast the whole time except for a moment about one o'clook. when a glumpse of the phonomenon is said to have been obtained by one or two keen watchers. At the Magistredy yesterday Mr. H. Hynd. man, ir., charged his bosse coolie with refusing to ob y order? The complainant told the We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits to defended to dry a floor which had just been oresting a home rula legislature for Scotland be genuine when bought direct from is in the washed and the defendant replied by demanding Colony or from our authorised Agents at the his wages. Commander W. C. H. Hastings

> space of four on days The Band of the at Shropshire Light Infan. try will play the following program me this afternoon at the Sky Meeting Maroh .... "Kelter" Medley Overture "Carnavalia"

imposed a fine of \$3, and sa the money was not

forthcoming the coolie west to good for the

The Orensdiers Utopin Limited Michiels, PANY, Lincoln, England: H.R.C.O. LAWN TENHIS TOURNA-

An enquiry into the organistances of the great fire of Wednesday evening will be held this afternoon at 2 30. Tho O. & O. steamer Gaetic with mails. from San Francisco to the 20th nit has are id Orders for extra copies of the Daily Press should at Yokohama, and leaves for this port this be cent before 11 a.m. on the day of publication morning.

After that hour the supply is limited. Only Supplied

The Glen Line steamer Glonfruin, from Lon-

don and Birelts, left Singapore for this perkon

Thursday ovenlag.

The Northern Proific steamer Tacoma sailed from Victoria. B.C.: for Japan and Hongkong on Thursday morning. The silk or Tucoma was delivered in New York out the 4th inst.

The Pelyang squadron, which arrived here from the south on the 2nd lust, left yesterday morning for Shanghaha The vessels composing the squadron are the Augship Tingyuon and the ornisers Chanyuon, Kingyuon, Loiguen, and

To-morrow morning, between 9 and 10.30 WHEN the Bank of China, Japan, and the o'clock, the steam launch Devapring, carrying Straits was launched the intention was that the Bothel Rig. will call alongside any vessel bolsting onde pennant C. to convey men ashors to 11 am service at St. Paters (Seamens)

A smoking concert is to be held this evening kong, whose financial requirements had out- at the Victoria Regression Club. Hon, J. Stowart Lockhart will preside and among those expected to be present are the Earl of Danmore and Sir William Jardine. A very interesting

Yesterday was an oppressive and bumidday, and lowed up by the great fall in exchange. Had the heavy banks of clouds resting on the Alla be terminated. There was also a little thunder doubt have had a prosperous career on the in the air, and the warm wind amacked of the lines on which it was started. Although S.W. monsoon. A slight shower fell during the afternoon, and the ontlook promises the much doaired heavy downfall soon.

Several patty incomies goonered at the fire in by other Banks in the withdrawal of sterl. Bonham Strand and several acrests have been ment with hard labour, and a hawker was ordered to receive ten strokes of the ratten for posits. The Bank has new, however, de similar offence committed while the premises of

After hearing, some further evidence in the osse against the Opium Farmers, in which Ho pheats of Patus Opinin during prohibited hours ou March 31st, Mr. H. E. Wodehouse yesterday the question that suggests itself as of the dismissed the onee, on the ground that the secmost practical importance for Hongkong tion under which the charge was laid did not apply to the Opium Farmer. Mr. J. J. Francis, is, how is the requirement which the Q.C. (instructed by Mr. H. L. Dennys), appeared

Cassell's publications for March, to hand by last mail, are full of good reading and attractive illa rations. The Magazine of Art contains a fine s pin etching by David Law. An interest. ing article on the early Italian Art is from the Bank of China, Japan, and the Straits was pen of Claude Phillips, illustrated by examples Our Careta, including the lowest priced, are formed they are much more so to day, and from the New Gallery. Miscellaneous papers of pterest to art students are numerous. The Quiver there are few people who during the last is bulky with good arrows this month. The four years have not suffered more or less Fimily Magazine has a miscellaneous assortment from the tightness of the money market, of short stories, descriptive articles, and chatty papers which bring it up to its standard of

In the course of an article on the revivalsof gold mining in Now South Wales the Sydney which was to be submitted at the annual ordinary observe has been attacked here. This is the March :the gold which in spite of cluborate and costly sheet and profit and loss account for the year endiappliances escapes in the process of ecushing. More even than he who discovers a new field should invest some fairly simple and cheap method of extracting gold from pyritas, or of Every mining country has experienced the fred of this, and in every country processes are plentifal which did they but warrant their inventors to contain gold which it does not pay to extract, or else only an unpayable proportion of the contained gold can be saved. Similarly with the sulphides that imprison silver. A process bas just been introduced to the public by Mr. John Jerger, of Sydney, which is designed to prevent the officers of the Mines Department, and the re-It will be like a realising of the emigrant's belief if the sorar of the readways holds gold en-

The new Messageries Maritimes mail stoomer Ernest Simons, designed for the Eastern line arrangements will be like those of the australian while earning handsome dividends for the speed, so afort, and luxury she will realise everything that the art of naval architecture. shareholders, it would ut the same time pushed to its extreme limits, can imagine. afford much needed relief to the trade Her construction was begun on the 9th April. 1892 Sho is 443ft. long botween her per pendiculars, and 466ft, over all, her breadth is 47ft, and her depth of hold 37ft. Her displacetial capital there would be little difficulty ment loaded will be 6.9 5 tons. She litte have triple arpansion engines of 6.100-horse power which will drive her 18 knots with forced and 154 with natural draught. She is to carry 103 first, 78 second, and 79 third class passengers; and will be fitted to carry six guns should the at the present time is known to everyone. Government require to use her as a orniser. The Company, however, would, if its direct Though not quite so long, she is expected to be Ville de la Ciolat. It is 42 years since M. Eruest own-account and confine itself, to re- Simons created the Compagnie des Messageries trying them all. For a soda whicky. Thorne's cciving money on fixed deposit and lending Mari lines, and associated with himself the area. tor of the Forges of Chantiers de la M. diterrance, M. Armand Bobio. The former conceived the with ample margin. The latter is a point to idea, the latter was the organising genius, of the the leading steamship companies of the world periods in the Colony's history, when money To keep alive the memory of the latter, the Person Case has been plentiful, advances have been company two years ago named one of its fluest made almost up to the market value of ee. ships the Armand Behic, and now, to perpetuate the memory of the real founder of the company of a series of fast ateamars which the Mess geie are shout to put on the line to China and n the Bordesux-Brazil line.

### REUTER'S TELEGRAMS

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAJLY PRES." LONDON, 4th April. BOMB OUTRAGE AT PARIS. Another bomb outrage has been perpetrated at Paris in a restaurant opposits the Senate

SEIGNORAGE COINAGE BILL. The U.S. House of Representatives has failed to pais the Seignorage Coinage Bill which was votoed by President Clevelandi MEETING OF CROWNED READS. The King of Italy and the Emperor of Ger-

many wet at Venice on Saturday. HOME BULE FOR SCATLAND. The House of Commons by a vote of one hundred and eighty age ust one handred and seventy, adopted a motion put forward by Mr J. A. Dalaiel (M.P. for Kirkcaldy) in favour of

PROPESSIONAL PAINS. S. G. Bird and H. W. Slade best Dra. Lowson and Meadon; 6-3, 6-2, and will now have to meet Meaer Perry and Platt in the final. DOUBLEST E. A. Ram and Smith beat E. W. Mitchell and A . Wiso, 84. 64.

W. G. Darby and S. L. Darby bont Maclonn and Harton, 6-4, 6-4, A. HANDIGAP C. Platt scratched to E. Grist. B HANDIOAP. H. A. Jupp bent W. G. Darby, 7.5, 7.5. ENGAGEMENTS. Dr. Meaden D. C. W. Firth G. H. Potts v. F. Maitland F. W. Firth

> THE POLO CLUBS SKY MEETING The Hougkong Polo Club's Sky Meeting will he held this afternoon, the first saddling bell being rung at two o'clock. The following is the

HALE-MILE RACE prize presented; for al Ching poules; weight for mohes us per soule with 12 lbs, added and soription griffing of 1893.94 allowed 7 lbay bong fide Polo ponies and hacks allowed 12 lbs: second to receive \$10; third to save stake; entrance, \$3. OLO SCURRY, quarter mile; prize presented by the Polo Club; for all bona fide Polo to save etaka; outrange, \$2.

ponies; catch weights over 18 st. 7 lbs. i second ONE MILE HANDICAP, a forced entry for all China ponies onlered at this meeting (except in Races 2 and 7); entrance, \$1; entries left in after the 4th of April 34 oxtra; entrance fees with \$10 added to go to the winner; second to receive 820; third to save stake.

for subjection griffias of any year; weight low in quick encounted. for machis as per scale; winners and placed The following dates, will leave their marks in Indian ponies at any race meeting in Hengkong or affairs and probably in those of Chica also :-China (Off Days not to count) 10 lbs. and a lba extra respectively; penalties acoumulative : second to receive \$10; third to save stake; entrance, \$3. HURDLE RICE, prime presented; for all China ponies; once round; weight for inches as per scale; previous winners of a Steeplechase of

\$10; third to save stake; entrance, \$3 EVEN FURLOWGE RACE, prize presented; for all China poules; weight for inches as p.r. scale; previous winners and pleced ponies at this mosting 12 lbs. and 5 lbs. extra respective. ly; hacks and pelo ponies allowed 7 lbs; second to receive \$10; third to save stike; en-

tranca, \$3. LADIES NOMINATION RACE three prizes preconted by the Polo Club: saddle a pony on the nonres at the winning post mount, rid round a post about 250 yards distant; return dismount, and receive a cigar and a box of matches from a lady, light the cigar, mount ride over the same course again; first past the windiag post with eight alight, and girthe. tight, to wip; entrance, \$1. CHAMPIONS, dup presented by D. R. Sassoon,

Esq 11 miles; for all China nonies; weight for inches as por soule; previous non-starters at this meeting 7 lbs. extra a second to receive \$10 third to save stake; entrance, \$3.

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NA GATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

The following is the report of the directors problem in gold mining which we are glad to the offices of the Company, London, on the 19th

Blat December, 1893, duly audited. An interim dividend of 3 per cent, on

the preference shares was paid on 2nd October, 1603, amounting to Leaving a sam of ...... £31,203

which it is proposed to apply as follows:depreciation, boiler and reserve

In payment of a further dividend of 3 per cent on the preference shares ...... 5.020 16 0 In payment of a dividend of . 5 per cent. Balance to be carried to new account .... 2,808 on the rdinary shares.....

made at Goulburn have also been good. Tail- less. The directors are g'ad, therefore, in addition to steamer Ching Wo was sold early last summer, and has been replaced by the Clyde-built steamer Colong. a ressel of much larger carrying capacity and better elapted to modern requirements. The following Other man has money and no brune I Those chan, retire by rotation i but being eligible, offer bivests. John Baker & Son and Mr. Jamiekon Elleg. offer themselves for re-e cotion. It is proposed that off once. The tipster lives at the expanse of expenses.

> shareholders on the London, Shanghai, and Hongkong JOHN POTTER, Managing Director. Loudon, 9th March, 1894.

BALLINGE SHEET, TO SIST DECEMBER, 1993. 16,736 preference shares, abares, fully 11,444 ordinary which £5 per aharo havo boon paid ... 57,220 0 0 4:106 ordinary shares, on wi ioh £3 10s.

16.786 shares. bills payable; To depreciation, boiler and reserve fund. 87,520; l'o insurance fund... To not receipts on account of uncompleted To balance of profit and loss & C. C.

Love dividend at 3 percent. on the preference chares for months, paid 2nd Oc-

By office furniture By cargo stages, &c., at Liverpool. By cash at bankers and on hand .

PLOFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT, 40 3167 DECEMBER, 1893 To general expenses, including remaneration to directors and addition, rent, salaries, income tax, stationery, &c. ... 5,470'15

By balance from last account 19,317 15 0 paid March 1893 ...... 5,020 16 0 to credit of depreciation,

boiler and reserve fund ... 18,000 0 0 18.020 16 D By profit realized on completed voyages, \$5,108 11

[8710] the tobacco in his pipe burned lower and lower. Twee right once out of eleven attempts; another was accordingly everhant their high fallatin and instant.

CORRESPONDENCE We do not hold ourselves retronable fur the opinion or remed by our Correspondents.

published in Madra; the article on the subject that winns ding." Let us try a little more trainer, that is to say it is the business of the being contributed by an astrologer under the logic of this kind. Now, the last meeting in tout to watch the trainer, and discover what he is

7.-Violant typhcons in Chine, and eyelones in Bay

of Hongal are are to follow the edipse:

9 - There will be troubles in India and accidents in
connection with Indian Brilway and Postal Service. n -Great troubles may be expected atmost heal of the celipse. Property and proper sell suffer 10.—The influence of the eplipes will not leat longor than five months and a last present on the calculation that the celipse lasts upon the earth about 51. HREE QUARTER-MILE RACE: prize presented ; will be manifest, but after May 24th oreath will fol-

> July 8th and 15th. The ovil effects will be most disservone in China;

In connection with the above agiv prophecies t occurs to meethal the mantle of Jeremiah Hardle Race, 10 lbs. extra; second to receive | must have been lent to Sephanial for the time being. I am dear my jours faithfully, Hongkong, 6th April 1894

SPURT AND ANECDOTE.

BY AN OLD FOGET.

To know what the future has in store for us traded in all ages. The seers and the property of oil were wershipped by the people, and how instionable it was in the days of the Grecian and Homan empires to consult cracles who gave anch amburgous and claver shewers that their replies could be construed according to sciences and the distributers with their boro the prophets, and the oracles. And in this nineteenth century, with all its boasted the same feeling both among the masses and the oloses. Human miture is now, as it was thenmade of yours ago, and will remain the same any number of Chirteen Clubs. In these days when this revolving globe will cease to whire in advance what sort of weather we are likely to

have. Ama ours, small prophets of various sorts. abound on every hand, and we know well their cant pregon of "I told you so," or "Just what I expected." Curiosity is always strong to know that which is consealed from na . It is this intome desire to divine the course of fature events; a land to fister one's self into the behef that we know something " that accounts for the and-During the past twelve months, rates of freight cossiul operations of the turk tipster. Now the there are plenty of jackarses in this world perfectly true. It explains the whole situation and not £10 or £11 per week after paring. the dividend shall be paid n the 87th inst; to all other people. He wells nothing for something, and with the vothing the buyer expects fto got something more. It takes a long time to conrings the ordinary bicket and gambles that he is a "jugging" a "fla ?" n "mng "and a mreon to be plocked, but he huda it out eventually.

ing reading events in the recongrescould. These gentlemen. fortund to dream the remail of the Derby.

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DEAR SIR,—As it may interest your readers, of the prophets or the guilibility of their dis-The tout is in some instances the necessary

I beg to forward you the following particulars ciples; and the only appropriate comment would adjunct of the tipster, but in such a case the in connection with the solipse of the sub on this seem to be. The prophets prophets prophets prophets prophets prophets and latter is evidently a person who is trying to do the people fove to have it so." There is the what he conceives to be his duty. The tout is The events recorded are copied from a journal logic of facts about this, and facts are "things usually supposed to be the "bete noir" of the

C. THE PROPERSTONAL STOLE PICKER. corner, from the card-seller who throws 'Old any per on be

of well known jookers and trainers, and practically a mystem of training and natering horses which swindle the nublic. There are some honest and would place both the tipeter and the tout at a industrious tipsters who really do their best, but great diad vantage. He would conduct racing they want fluding. "Gentlemen" with the much on the lives of convence. The suggestions. inside of a famous jooker have ere this been run, however, did not find favour. The gull she herd. by a syndicate of investors. They introchised Lauppres will meanwaile conti On this universal weak sees men and women have and becomed their propert so assideously that . To waller propert or their the gullich herd believed to tien, and the money of those tipsters news Tourses they wom found ont. That is the fate of most of them accust of

later, but bless you they keep discovering from THE TRICKS OF TIPSTERS Let me tall you whent some tipping. It is favourite plan for some of them to sand sover horse in the race -of course to diffrant diantsso that some one or two among their subsoribers civilisation and the spreed of education, we see his mars to back the winner. Of course you know full well that the officials in the Gaucial Post Office never divulge secrets. That accounts h one of Her Majesty a correntation responsible position acquainting me with the taction of tipeler who had all commandations addressed we have tolk who are foul of dring a date him at Newmarket. They were then forwarded to his real address, which was in a miserable Yorkround the groove of Lime. We have "Z.d beire town From this centre his teleprome were kirls" and "Old Moores," who are very gost frequently despitched, and I can assure you complete the carul. tive about the approved of the next war, and se a fact that this man invariably sent away of the hind of weather we shall empty for the every horse with any possible protonsions of ensuing twolvemonths. Then there are political obades, as well he might do with glients so fare prophets, always ad confident about the date of aparts as Aberdoon and Pontince. What Ma the next parliamentary dissolution. The gipsy the world is to prayout a man from doing so PanAnd these thase vampires pose as men the with special information, and blithering idious 6,020 is o fashionable palmist who accepts a fee from the lay out their money on messages which are not fround of his alleged concention with the Liberawealthy, pander to the same passion -to read the worth the value of even a sheet of telegraphic future. Even the id steorological Department of paper, Even those who work ton the no-win the Government tries to tell us twenty four hours Do pay method are earns of a fat living; as by sending different Lorses to different clients they are cartain of a law winners daily: A tipster ones went so for as to say . L. have one hundred clients whom I can wire to every day i like. As a matter of fact Linvest one sovereign: ouch day. Consequently Loole, Morty from my. list, and as I olim to stand in to the odds obtainable to ball a crown on two at least of my selections, the job pays me well as men to whom you soud two winners to-day live both outwards and homewords, have, on the average, burt lipster is the most daring of all our latter, in the hope of your doing still better quantity of gold passed through the machine in ruled higher then in the two proceeding years, whilst day prophets. He is nover disturbed by the the next day. But I never send on consecutive said nearly 94 per cent. Was recovered. Trials the working expenses of the chips have been somewhat rankest failure. House may win and horses tive days to the sains person. I wait till made at Coulborn have also been good. Tail.

me and the misses has got a good living out He acts on the Claimant's celebrated epigram: it for the list five years. This makes beneat beneat "Senot man has brains and no money system is much practised by tipaters. A potential as has brains and no money is means to live implical benefit to backer and the er was at on those as has money and no brains. This is anocessful that in two years he could keep a clerk Aunthur dolga is for a men to set at a tiper Die gensleman, not so very leng agen volpiess in seven alieses. You know the is a very leasy plan. The same man may take a list of horans. in a tuon and send on the set of hips as "Vintor of Landero withdraw to the andurbe. A heavy another as "Service" snother as Bucephalus

as sporting pyblications—keep small furf proment — A lady who is locally loudeant of beard the French and Portuguese warships.

photo who indulge in sufficientions upon coming bone-racing has just had the extraordinary good. Admired di Gama, the insurgent leader, is replaced who indulge in sufficientions upon coming bone-racing has just had the extraordinary good. with more or less incowiedge and skill, ex. horse—the name of which will be given by a press their opinions on approaching squine control of the lady—is not press it is is ding fartegis. They may prove right and they may our the Terms half a crown in postage stamps. be wrong . The latter is the more usual re N B .- The money will be distributed in the sult. In most pases, however, those who are FCY. I know those drawn. She would dream interested know full well that the writers make that charity which tagins and souls at home. Supply The use of electricity would possibly selections accordance with the best aformation they can Here is another instance of every mixed possibly supply to control the price of electricity would possibly seconds on with the best aformation they can Here is another instance of every mixed possibly. Here is another fusiance of sweet simplicity;— cheapen its codes of all versions profitable,

Gleam. It is, generally speaking; an attempt important uctice. The mystery of the fusiance of all versions is an attempt in honestly do a duty, and if he a failure are what then? John Ruskin says that failure are the signs of effort. Some the spaper prophets what a dispression set! This waithy books. A New York syndicate has offered Mr. John the signs of effort. Some the spaper prophets what a dispression set! This waithy books. A New York syndicate has offered Mr. John the signs of effort. Some the spaper prophets what a dispression set! This waithy books. A New York syndicate has offered Mr. John the signs of effort. Some the spaper prophets what a dispression set! This waithy books. A New York syndicate has offered Mr. John the soliered great reputations. Hotspur is an instance. He is one of a few, and perhaps stemps at a time—having made his pile is anxious Treasury, 65 cents, per cause for 75,000,000 the most orientated. Now the point I wish to to bring about the bankrup eyet the Levistians of silver.

Put is this. Most of these newspaper men.— of the ring. When Mr. P.y. Mr. Jacobs and Are London Chamber of Commerce has urn d put is this. How of these newspaper men—or the ring. I not he will be of the sporting press—are at least the company see such advictisements as Lord Rosebery, the new Premier to take ateps as intelligent, as well educated as onto as these they must be their stores having. These adverts the literature of the fats impending. These adverts the Manchester intends to move an topics as any set, of tipsters—no matter wint.

The fees of others may be, while their views can be build for a peanty or a ballpeany. And yet how distributed in the fats are incommentate. Health to the Present from the Throne. do these newspaper men fare in the perpetual of literary mability sud fascoursey. I remember 4,647 2 3 pozzle of brying to find winners. Last No. reading one last wast just before the Cambridge yember a gentleman who was formerly the saire in which the writer told what a monderful. chaplain to one of her Majesty's prisons, wrote trial Castleblancy has done. He had nations to be declare that it will be impossible for the appear for the New Review, in which he hand and would win with some Castleblancy was United States Government to support the promade a attement, worthy of reproduction, third favourite and finished nearer last than posed Pacific cole from Australia unless it

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1893, was at Manchester. Twenty one well doing with the various horses in his charge. His As most of the seconds prognosticated are known papers gave tips for the 20 range decided occupation is best described by the term horse-cortainly not of a vague nature, and as they refer during the three days. There were in all 308 watcher. He is the man who sends the trainto things which (if true) are of supreme import predictions; 22 winners were given correctly ing report for his particular district to the to those connected with India and China the in single selections, while 32 winners were newspipers. The tout has just as legitimate an publication of this will give your readers the mentioned when complet with another hers; occupation as he who endeavours to worm out chance of testing the question as to whather Only one of the mighty army of prophets the secrets of a business house or to bribe an there is any truth or not in astrology as a forstold the success of Golden Drop in overseer or clerk to tell him that which he knows the Manchester November Handleap and he has no right to be made acquainted with. It only one picked out the name of the winner of is universally agreed that the tout is not so 2.—Probable rising in China and series of national, the Final Plate—Con Amore. The same failure dangerous on the downs or the heath ashe is off it. in the newspaper tipsters was observable over So long as he is not trespessing on private pro-3.- A case of death will commain the Theregal the Derby gathering just provious to Manches perty there is no reason, why a man should not look ter. In 198 predictions for the Derby and Man at a horse. A cut may look at a king. Some men observatory," ond sweep Newmarket 5.—Phillipine Islands and south const of China winning chances I am quite aware that the Heath with a good field telescope. That doesn't like y to experience shocks of parthquakes about the Frances were, fary numerous, and that nearly matter. It is when the tents go sneaking round y to expense on another of sample and the state of the st hatter if they were compiled of the Epsom, Ascot, obtain knowledge that they have no right Goodwood Newserket, or Deheaster meeting to, it is long odds that the boys are bribed, and their better nature surely undermined by If theb, no more encous at lands the average counting, scheming men. "Rapier" put it well newspaper tipstor that this was I was careful to whom he reproduced the words of a successful romatk, is just at intellectual, as educated as trainer who remarked . L dut mind the cute as honourable and as well informed, to toute; it's the toute touts that do the mischief say the least of it, as other men " in the game." A stable boy is dismissed, he hangs about, his Some little time will slapse before the phief events, what must be said of the parely professional tip- old companies don't like to refuse to answer his will be manifest, but after May 24th events will fel. at ir who obtains his livelihood by this means, and "questions he finds out just what the tout wants does nothing elde. Now we approach a wider field to know so far as the boys know it and is the still Here again there are ginles of tipsters, go-between: When once a lad begins to go down. They vary from the man who in discarded job bill the passange is rapid, the tout is the man to give key's jacket harangues a gap ng of owd of muddle- him watert." To must such cases as this there is a headed simpletons ou a recoccurse or at a street | section in the Eules of Racing which says :- 'If . Jack's finals in from the lady who sells a packet Stewards of the Jokey Club to have sur-Lieulen drops and " the winner of the andiken reptitional contained information respecting a or a brown, to the gentlemen who advises you trial from any person or, persons engaged with at half a grainen a day or £22s for the in it. of in the service of the owner or week and who lives on the fat of the land at your trainer of the mores. Lited, or respecting any expense. I don't object to the man who shouts here in templing from any person in such ser"Lee y are didn't Luive yer Molly Morgin for vice, he shall be; wathed of Newmarket Heath he Kimbridge burst you He is an amasing and other planes where these rules are in force. brazen fac d riscal whom you may smile at. The And yet, I suspect this rale is frequently broken. tipaters I detest are the men who assume the names Fourteen years ago - William Day, advocated

THE SAUSURATION OF THE The C. N. Co. a steamer Ching's arrived from Australian ports yesterday. The follow-

ing telegreems are from our exchanges :-WAY THE PINANCES OF ITALY. It is reported that Signor Crise, the Italian Premier propose to atilise 200,000,000 lire £3,000,000 of the reserves held by the Italian bunks to discharge the external debts of Italy. roplacing the reserves by means of fresh notes THE PARAMA CANAL.

LONDON IIIh March Par sharehelders of the Panama Canal Com-PRE: LIBERATOR BUILDING SOCIETY FRAUDS-- Designation of the Master OF THE HORSE.

LONDON, 10th March. The Times urges Lord Roseburg to dismiss iscoont Oxenbridge from his office of Master of the Horse in the Royal Household, on the

Wiscount Oren bridge has resigned his office of Master of the Horse. THE CUBRENCY IN GERMANY. LONDON. 13th March. Count you Caprici, the German Chancellor, ng of 32,000,000 marks (£1.100,000)

IMPRIMAL PEUTENTION ZEAGUE. London, 13th March The City Branch of the Imperial Federation question an to the reconstruction of the league on the basis of the defence of common interests. and with a view to the commercial union of the Empire as nearly he possible on freatrade lines. The Marquis of Lorne intends to speak in favour of the new body bring brought into touch with the colonial Covernments. The Agents-General will attend the meeting.

THE EPPUATION IS HAWAIT London 11th March. The Provisional Government at Honolula has enacted stringent laws against imm gration into

LORDON 19th March. The steamship Warrimoo, which has arrived at Vaccouver from Sycces, reports that there is much excitement at Hawaii in consequence of tim premios at Honolulu of Cauadian recruits, who are said to have been imported to restore

Yesterday the cutire population of Rio do bombardment began on the rebal fort, which cerning spaters and touts might prove interest | another as 'Nimred and some Hels and to be was not one fire. The insurgent butteries resuccessful in one cole or the other and ose salver mained allent . That Government first entered ties in that grand loggest style so popular to the the furbour. All the lasurgest vessels have There are tipsters and tipsters. Of course all tipster. The appropriate of these genter lowered their flags, and have surrendered unconthe sporting newspapers, and many daily and are exceedingly amount of these genter lowered their flags on evening papers which cannot strictly be classed used to stamble across this kind of mayorities. The insurgant officers have taken refuge on evening papers which cannot strictly be classed used to stamble across this kind of mayorities.

> Admiral di Mello m on board the insurgent warship Agmidaban at sea. THE SILVER QUESTION.A. LONDON, 12th March. The New York Wines says that the only way

Waldien! I throughout the World. Proprieters: The Linhouse Daudet states that he has always found company was right, and in one case two were newspaper. Consequently the wildow and the Minister for Defence, at a banquet on the 20th
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CHAPTER XXXVIII. When they went into the galoon the great bulk of the mer were off to their work again.

and only two or three were lounging at the bar Jacob went up to Murdoch, who was setting things straight. " Have yer got the list ready ?" he saked, " am just going to hitch up the team?

"I will get it up for you directly." "We will take a drink while you are getting it," Ned Hampton said. "I am this lad's, mate

and have pretty well arranged about taking a share in a claim, so if you like he can go down regularly for you." They strode on to the bar, while Murdoch went through an inner door. He appeared directly after behind the bar with Truscott. "These are the men that are going down wit

the cart, Linda," the latter said to the girl; "

least the lad is going, the man is going to work on the flat; they want the list." "Brandy and champagne are the two things we want most," she said. "You had better gat eighteen gallons of Bourbon, eighteen of brandy, and twelve dozen of champagne. I have made out the list of the groceries we want. There it together." is; it comes to thirteen pounds." Truscott made a calculation as to the amount were elected?" Jack Armitstend asked.

of wine and spirits, and drew a cheque on the

bank. at once if they could not have lignor here. When do you expect to be back?" be asked, going scross to the bar. "In about four days, if they don't keep me."

"They won't keep you," the man said, "longer than to go to the bank and get the money!"- Today is Tuesday; you will get down to the road by to-night and you ought to be there by Phurs day afternoon." If you get there in time to load up then and get out of the place you ought to be back by Saturday night." "I reckon I shall," Jacob said: "that is if goes right and I don't smach a wheel or an axle. bargained for if you are back by sundown on take his order.

Saturday. We shall want the stuff back by that Jacob nodded. "I will do my best," to said. "The horses can do it if we don't get blocked with anything. Is there any shopping I can do for you, miss ?" The girl shook her head.

"No, thank you; I have got everything I "You had better call at the post office when you get to the town," Ned said. "If you should think of anything more, miss, there would be time enough if you sent it off in the mail bog to-morrow morning. If you address it, "I Langley, he will get it."

The girl glanced at him with some little interest. He had spoken in a rough tone but she detected a different intenation of the voice to that in which she was generally addressed. "You are Edglish, are you not?" she asked!

"Yes, miss; I camp across from the old country some time ago." "I am English too," she said. "I suppose the horses and eart belong to you?" "They are a sort of joint property between us."

he said; "I work at the diggings and he drives, and I take it he make more money than I do." "What part do you come from ?" she asked. "Mostly London," he said ; "but I have been working about in a good many places, and I don't look upon one as home more than the other."

You are going to work here for a bit P' she

"Yes, it seems from all I hear as good a place as any, and if I can get regular work for the waggon I shall stop here for a while. I am just buying a share in a claim, and I shall wait to see him off his feet on to his back on the floor. An how it works out."

"I have not seen you here before," she said. "I took my supper here last night," he said but the place was full. I did not come in in the evening, for I am not given to drink and I have not taken to gambling."

"Don't," she said, leaning forward, and apeakmoney away. I hate seeing men come in here and throw away all they have worked so hard for for wooks; and then it leads to quarrels. Don't begin it. It is no use telling sayone who sight as I would a dog." once has begun that they had bester give it up. They don't seem as if they could do it then, but if you have never played don't'do so." in other camps. Thank you, miss, all the same

The girl nodded and moved away and Jacob. having received his list and instructions, presently joined Ned Hampton and they walked away his having a drink with them. - The next morning the latter set to work, and

the result that he bing him share in the claim. He took his meals at the saloon and went in for turn in. an hour every evening. The place of sat that time'so crowded that he had but few opportunities greeting when Ned Hampton came down to his of exchanging a word with the girl. "She gen- work, taken it he usually stroked round the tables had just arrived."

looking at the play. In the saloon its if it was rode off just at daybreak this morning, with his themselves for themselves for small stakes, but in a commat the lace tied up in a black handkershief. They say have done and steadiest, or, on the other hand, he who can back of the saloon it was different. Here there his jaw is broken. Well partner, you have done and steadiest, or, on the other hand, he who can was no noisy talk or loud discussion. The men it and no mistake, and the hull camp was talking | draw his pistol the quickest." sat or stook round a table at which dionte was about nothing else last night. The chaps as being played, the dealer being a professional gambler, whose attire in ordinary clothes, with a way you downed him. Why, if this place was strongly with the rough garb of the miners.

No sounds broke the silence here save an occasional muttered oath, an exclamation of triumph; or a call for liquor. It was seldem that an even Ned said carelessly. "He was going to draw ing passed without a serious quarrel here or at and I hit out, and as a man's list goes naturally the drinking bar. Twice during the first week quicker from his shoulder than the sharpest man of Ned's stay in the camp pistols were drawn; can draw his pistol, of course he went down. In one case a man was killed, in the other two were seriously wounded .:

"I should like to see a law passed by the roup. ers themselves." Ned Hampton said, as he was done shaking up to the strongest man. It was talking over the matter with his partners at not as if he was standing balanced on his feet their work next day, "forbidding the carrying prepared to meet a blow. I consider it taking of pistols under the penalty of being turned out an uniair advantage to hit a man like that, but of comp; and it should be added that who wief when he is feeling for his pistel there is no after the passing of the law drew and fired should choice in the matter. However, it is not worth "It would be easy enough, pard, to net the

law passed by a majority, but the thing would

men in this camp as would clear out the hall. crowd. The best part of us hates these rowand would glad enough be rid of the gang a work peadeably, but what are you to do when you can't have your own way without running 8 risk; and a mighty big one of getting shot P't "Ay that is it." another said. "It would need I wanted to." a sheriff and a big posso to carry it out !! thing," Ned Hampton said, "but I believe in that though we might clear out the camp of and cost yourself at a table and see what is going some of the camps they have banded foretier | these fellows without difficulty, we should all be on, and when you see them coming out get out and given the gamblers and the hard chardeters marked men wherever we went if it were known before them, and come and tell us; we shall be notice to quit, and have hung up those who re which of us were concerned in the matter." fused to go. It is monstrous that two or three hundred men who only want to work pead ably should be terrorised by half a dusen rufflans."

but it is hard to see what is to be done. There if we were known to have been among Judge wyoming Bill, for example, who came into the camp last night, oursing and swearing and threatening he would put a bullet in any man who refused to drink with him. I expect it were after you turned in mate; but he cleared the a man swint yesterday evening." Jacob began, the place could plainly hear what was being said saloon of the best part as was there in five min; has he came up "I heard a row of chaps obsering at the other end. ntes. He did not go into the inner room, he hew as I was unloading the goods at the back of the better'n that; Jor, the Gambler, would have put saloon, and I wondered what was up but I never was saying; "there was no call to draw. The ciation. a bullet into him before he could wink; so would thought as you were in it you did not say any men were new comers, and meant no harm; it is Ben Hatcher, and two or three of the others, thing about it when we were talking." would have tried it. Thou he swaggered up to . There was nothing to tell about, Jacob, I no use your activing at me; I ain't afraid of the bar and began to talk loud to the girl there, knocked down a big bully and turned him out of you, and you knows it." Someone told them in the inner room and Ben the saloon; there was no fighting at all, it was Hatcher and Blaff Harry stept out, pistol in just one blow and there was an oud of it. I am no use having words atween triends. We have hand, and says B n. You had best drop; that, a pretty good bexer, I think I may say tery got to stick together here, and if we does that Wyoming, and es quick as lightning, It has good; and these fellows, though they are handy we can clear this camp out." been settled in this camp as anyone as says a bad enough with pistols, have not the abghtest idea . I don't care a continental what Bluff Harry word in front of that har will be carried out I of many their fists. The fellow has gone if this or what any other man thinks," Ben Hatcher foremost, so don't you try it on or you will be morning and we shout these any more about it." said, sulkly, "I does as I like, without asking, stuffed with buildes afore you wan say knild. I After dinner Ned again went into the reloon. leave from no man; still, I don't want to quarrel, know you and you know me, and there is half at the soon as he approached the bar the girl came, and as some of you seems to want to make a

broad daylight without a regular battly. But we | bollies of that sort are never formidable when | Ned led the others down by the side of the might tackle them one by orle, taking them se they are faced." parately. Ten men might make this camp hat Ned felt rather doubtful as to his reception by They took their station behind one standing on

Yes. I am a good shot; but I'don spretend to I him. be as quick with it as these professions builtes. "Shake," one said, holding out his hand; but, and throw himself upon him; the others at Yet I have bad to deal with awkward enstanters I you did the right thing last night. It is well once followed, and the man was thrown on to the the game. What do you my, mates ?" The other two assented.

man of the party said, in they must be fellows fool when he spoke as I heard he did to you, murder, and has been hung by my ordersone could trust; there is Lioux Ralph and Sam He had not been here long and did not know our Judge Lynch." Nichalson and Providence Dick, they are all ways or he would not have done it. We went in The feeling in camp was one of general satisquiet chaps and could be trusted to bold their and told him last night he'd not to get, or that faction. The murders of the preceding evening ongood. There has been a good deal of gram: what you had given him would not be chucks to had caused general indignation, and threats had bling lately; there have been ten men killed here what would happen if he was not off afore day. been freely uttered. since the comp began, and it is generally allow. break. Let us liquor." ed as that is too big he everage. It is allow as This was an invitation that could not be hear what had hoppened. None of them, on with these new rushes. Chaps as begins to feel refused, and Ned had to go through the core their return a few minutes after him, had as they have made other places too hot for them. mony many times before he could make his thought of looking in his tent; the three whose in general joins in a new rush. We must be retreat. That prening Sinclair and Jack Ar- turn it was had each kept three hours watch, careful who we speak to, for if the fellows got mitatend came apross to Ned's fire. scent of it some of a would be wiped out afore we was not until eight many hours had passed, for if it came to shoot. To join us in clearing the comp, and we are polock, that one looking into Ban Hatcher's tent ing, none of us would have a look in with men ready to do it in any way you may tell us."

Hampton said; we can afford to wait till they gambler, who are at the bottom of all the trouble down on some errand. get a little-worse; but it would be as well to here. I will write six notices warning them that hadin about it and get the number ready to not buless they leave the camp in twelve hours it miner who was cooking breakfast for his mates. You would be ready to not as captain if you it only wants a few words."

"Safe enough," the other replied. "They gaged in police duty in a troubled country. ed. Judge Lynch." way of doing it unless one of us go down, and captain at all. I am almost a new chum, and out slite at one and and put these papers in them, went up in a party to the wood. Hardy as they neither of an armost of the second of t neither of us can be spared. We did not recken on the stuff going so fast and it would never do to run out. They would go to the other places that may be elected; I have no wish whatever recing them when they turn out in the morning.

We not us go down, and many of you have been a year on the goldfields. and then stick them in the ground in front of were, their faces whitened as they looked at the swinging body and read the paper.

I shall be quite willing to serve under anyone there men's tents, to that they cannot belp winging body and read the paper.

Not a word was spoken for a minute or two; for the command."

fix about who had best be naked 'I guess in be taken." two or three days we can make up the number. Wyoming's going on, and if it hadn't been their work, and the news speedily spread through te to their tents, having finished their task. The land a Constal Handbook thorsto, is widely circles and speedily spread through the to their tents, having finished their task. The land a Constal Handbook thorsto, is widely circles and speedily spread through the to their tents, having finished their task. that they did not want to make a musa with the camp. that girl in the saloon. I fancy some of them After breakfast Sinclair said to Ned, "Those down, Mason saidwould not have gone without shooting. The fellows have been helding a sort of council to-

at the bar when Ned Hampton, who had finish shall see what they are going to do. I don't gether and always be on our guard, and they also Directories of all sections of the comed his dinner early, went over to it. The girl think they will go without a fight. They are all may pick us up one after the other. I thought munity a valuable body of Statistics, and much "I will give you twenty dollars more than I herself, contrary to her custom, came across to "Good evening, miss," he said; "I hear you

nearly had trouble here again last night." will always pull out pistols; why don't they stand | limits of the camp. up and fight as they do at home?-it is horrible. There have been four men killed in the salson while we have been here. I thought they would be rough, but I had no idea that it would be "It is not a good place for a 'woman," Ned Hampton said, bluntly, "especially for a young

and pretty one. Your father ought to know better than to bring you here." She shrugged her shoulders. "It pay," she said, "and they are never rude

She turned away. A moment later Ned Hampton was tapped the shoulder, and looking t, and saw that it was the man who had during the the day been pointed to him as the redoubted Wyomium Bill. "Stranger," he said. "I want you to understand that anyone who speaks to that young woman has got to talk with me. I am Wyoming-Bill, I am. I have set my mind on her, and it will be eafer to tread in a next of rattlesmakes

then to get my dender up." Ned Hampton laughed derisively. "You hulking giant," he said, "if you or enyone clee attempt: to dictate to me I will kick him out of

half a page he struck the man with all his force and weight on the point of the chin, knooking instant later Ned sprang upon him, and twisted the revolver from his grosp; then he seized the half-stunned and bewildered man by his neck grasp to the back of the neck, ran him down the quarrel with any of them." saloon, and when he reached the door gave him ing sarnestly. "You had better throw your a kick that sent him headlong on to his face." that things should be like this." "Now," he said sternly, as the man, utterly powed rose to his feet .. "I warn you if I find you in camp in the morning I will shoot you at

The man moved off muttering blasphamous threats, but holding his hands to his jaw; which had been almost dislocated by the blow, while I "I don't mean to. I have seen enough of it Ned returned quietly into the saloon, where the miners crowded round him congretalating him on having achieved such a triumph over a notorious bully. Ned was shortly forced to retire. for averyone of those present were insisting ou

On returning to his tent Ned Hampton found that Jacob had just returned from his second was so well satisfied at the end of two days with journey to Sacramento, and they sat chatting over the events of the trip until it was time to pen to you I should know it was because you had

"He has gone, Ned," was Jack Armitstead's erally, however, gave him a ned as he came up to Gone?" he repeated. "Who has gone? the bar for his glass of liquor. When he had Not Sinclair earely, for but two of his partners

was there said they never saw anything like the diamond stud in his broad shirt front, contrasted made into a township to-morrow, they world elect you mayor or sheriff, or anything else you liked, right away."

"Oh it was nothing worth talking about, After that he was half stunned and I expect he didn't feel quite sure that his head wasn't off. a blow on the point of the chin gives a tremensaying anything more about." And Ned at

Nothing further was said on the subject until be to get it carried out. There are four or five they stopped for breakfast, when Jack Armit-

"At any rate, Ned, that affair last night ha the other job. Those I spoke to and told them you were ready to be our leader just jumped at it, and I could enlist half the camp on the job if in his tent to night," he said; "after what has best off in this queer world.

That is true enough, Sinclair said. would be as much as any of our lives were stead said. There won't be much play going Cycle to the 30th year of the 76th Cycle. worth to go into any of the other camps on to night after what has happened. Yes, I "It sin't right, mate, I allow as it sin't right where on or two of these I llows happened to be, will go in Lynch's ; arty."

> cart, as he always did when Jacob was there. "They have been telling me that you thrashed

best carry on outside: I tell you once for all. "Thank you," the man here heard in " As he turned to leave the bar, Jack Armit- DESCRIPTION OF THE INDUSTRIES Wyoming Bill weakened at once, and the thing what he said to you, and he well deserved what I stead slipped out through the door and ran round passed off but there will be a big muss some you gave him. It was very brave of you, as he the corner, night was armed, and you were not.

the other desperadoes of the camp; but as soon the verge of the camp, and waited. In two or

in him, sure. It has been an agreed matter in shoulders, and carried him up into the wood, way that ain't fair and right, it should be bad news that Ben Butcher was hanging from a tree.

will be worse for them. I will write them now. Each notice was headed by the man's name to

wish it to go farther, that I have been an officer hotice that if you are found in this camp after sight to look at, I can tell you." "You are sure you think it safe, Mardock ?" in the British army! dad several times been en- support to night you do so at your peril.—Signwhere I have had to deal with as hard characters " Now" Ned said, when he had written the six will be." know well enough if they were to take it they were a nave nau to dear with as more a market but to be papers, " get six stroks about three feet in length, would be hunted down; anyhow there is no other and all their way as these men. I have no wish to be papers, " get six stroks about three feet in length, would be hunted down; anyhow there is no other and all their way as these men. I have no wish to be papers, " get six stroks about three feet in length, would be hunted down; anyhow there is no other and the stroke and and put these papers in them.

> If they don't take the hint and go we will hold then Mason, the gambler, said-"All right, partner, we will talk it over and a consultation in the evening as to the steps to The threatened men were all late risers, and Two of the men went down and borrowed THIS Volume, which forms a valuable Re-

The next evening the salbon was emptier gether. I saw them standing in a knot before but it seems to me that this is not a healthy | Curonut, Cinnamon, Tea, Sugar, and Cinchons than usual; there were but two or three man. Bluff Harry's tent. I expect by dinner time we place to stop in. We cannot always keep to plantations in the Island, with full particulars, very hard once and Bluff Harry and two or three when you were talking yesterday about Judge useful General Information. It is indispensable of the others are clear grit down to the boots." Lynch that you were away from the mark. He to all intelligent residents, or parties interested

> That moans lighting, clear enough," Jack | "I am with you," Bluff Harry agreed. "If Armitstead said, when they resumed work. "I they came to open fighting I would take a hand expect they have agreed that one shall be always to the last, but this secret business don't suit on watch, and I resken that the ten of us would not be of much use against them."

I quite agree with you, Jack," Ned said, "and I have no idea of throwing any life away by an open attack upon them. We must bide keep together, but they will soon get oursless and then we can not" In the evening the men went to the salcon in

a body, and standing at the bar indulged in much defiant language of Judge Lynch and his party. So insolent and threatening was their demeanour that the numbers in the salcon rapidly thinned, quiet men soon making their way back to their tents. Ned had not gone there; he thought that anspected of being concerned in the matter, and that one of the men might pick a quarrel with him. The next day passed off quietly. Ned, on his way back from work in the evening, passed. the door was opened and the girl came out.

. "I want to speak to you," she said. " Those men were at the bar this afternoon. They were With a howl of fury the man's hand went be talking about the warning they had had, and hind him to his pistel pocket, but quick at he ope of them said he believed that Britisher had was Ned Hampton was quicker. Stepping back something to do with it. The others seemed to never had any severe illness in her life, and her think so too. Id n't think your life is safe. from them-but it would be safer for you to go "Thank you for the warning," Ned said.

> "They are dang-rous men." she said. "very "We are going to try and make things bet-

a little off their guards." Oh, then you are in it. I thought you would be. Yes, it is dreadful. My friends were with them at first, but they see now that they drive people away from the saloon, and they would be glad if the place could be cleared of them. But poor appetite, a bad taste in the month, and pain pray do not ran into any danger.

ter." Ned said. "but we must wait till they are

well, Miss, and I am not alone. I think most of the men here are of the same opinion, and will be glad to see the camp freed of these ruffiane." Well, pray be erreful. Were anything to hap being on my feet for a time my legs would swell ally. ponished the man who spoke so insultingly about nor any medicine; that is, up to the time I took quarto mages. me. You are not like most of the others; you the one which gave me my health back. I never call me Miss, and you try to speak roughly, but filt so well in my life as I do now." (Signed) I know that is not natural to you, and that you

have been a gentleman." "There are a good many in the camp who have been gentlemen," he said : " but it makes no matter what we have been, each man has to work for himself here and to keep on the common

"They are calling me," the girl exclaimed, as she heard her same shouted within. "I must go now," and she darted back to the door, while Ned walked on carelessly. "She is certainly marvellously like Dorothy. he said to himself. "Her expression was softer

this evening than I have seen it before-that makes the likeness all the stronger. In the evening Ned heard pistol shots in the direction of the saloon, and a few minutes afterwards Jack Armitstend come up.

" More murder," he said. "Ben Hateber has just shot down two newcomers. They only arrived this afternoon, and knew nothing what was going on. They walked up to the bar and gave an order. Ben Hatcher was standing Mother Seigel's Carative Syrup " She noted there and made some insulting remark to them. They resented it, and he drew and shot them You had better bring up the other men.

Ned said "We will see if we cannot take this fellow as he leaves the saloon to-night: Don't bring them here; the gathering might be poticed; take them forty or fifty yards behind; then I will join you 'lea minutes later Ned took a coil of rope and

he was presently joined by the ten men. "It would be useless trying to take this fellow happened they will be certain to keep a good from will be suongh, Jack. It is a matter look out. We must watch as they leave the Of course, no one man would attempt such a that must be kept secret, for you must remember saloon. Will you, Armitstead, go in there now gathered just round the corner."

I don't expect they will be long." There were a few men still sitting at the tables Office. Sold by all Booksellers.

when he entered; they were drinking silently Ned Hampton went back to breakfast at the and watching with scowling faces the grou standing at the bar. He took his ment at the table meret to the door, and in the sileuce of "I tell you, you were wrong," Bluff Harry &c., &c., with the Panti and Mandarin Pronun-

> enough to set the whole camp agin us. It ain't "Bluff Harry is right, Bon; however, it sin't / THE JUBILEE of HONGKONG

mines I will just leave you to yours freshed torn

"He is coming out by himself," he said : "you "I should like to turn the whole lot out." Ned "i is arms were not of any use to him. Miss, had best get away from here, for a shout would Hampton said, angrily; "it could not be done in as I did not give him time to use them; besides, bring the whole gang upon us."

saloon, and then out through the tents. Are you a good shot with the pistol, mate po as the girl turned away two of these came up to three minutes a step was beard approaching As, the man came along, Ned Hampton sprang

in my time, and would nodertake to deal with for that white-livered cass that none of us wore ground, and in spite of his stroggles bound and these fellows if, as I said, I could get the men to here at the time, or he would have had a bullet gagged. Then six of them lifted him on to their "Well, there are three of us besides yourself this 'ere camp that gal is not to be interfered. The next morning, one of the minors going here, and I guess we would all take a hand in with by no one, and that if anyone outs in, in a up to chop some firewood, returned with the for him. She has come among us, and we are | Many others ran up to varify the statement. On "We ought to be she to get seven others," all prond of her and the has got to be treated the breast of the dead man was pirued a paper. Jack Armitatead, who was the most prominent like a lady and Wyoming Bill was worse nor a "This man has been tried and found guilty of

Hatcher's companions were among the last to

and had no reason for supposing that anything "There is no occasion to be in a hurry," Ned "there are an of them, including Mason the went down into the camp to see if he had gone adapted for Children. Sold in Bottlee, by all Drug-"Have you seen Ben Hatcher?" he asked a

"Ay. I have seen him, and I guess pretty near everyone in camp has," "You will find him up in that wood there, "Quite ready. Then tell you though I don't whom it was addressed. "This is to give you close to that big pine, and it ain't a pleasant "Is he dead ?" "I should say so, about as dead as he eve

> Blaff Harry returned to his friends, and they "We had best bury him at once, boys; we can

picks and shovals. In half-an-hour they returnmeal was prepared in silence. When they sat | calated not only in the Island but throughout | Fernando, Nor. bark, 347, Pettersen, Jan. 22,

" Well, boys. I don't know how you take it. At twelve o'clouk it was seen that the tents of has been to two or three camps where I have in the Colony. the threatened men'and all been taken down and | been, and it ain't no manner of good bucking Very nearly. I cannot think why men here had been erected of a togother just outside the against him. My opinion is, the sooner we git

me. I reckon the game is played out here, and we had better vamoose the ranche before the worst comes of it." The others were of the same opinion. The little tents were pulled down and their belongour time: for a day or two they will no doubt libgs made up into bundles, and before noon each man shouldered his kit and moved quietly off. (To be continued.)

### THREE FORTUNATE WOMEN.

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The second woman says :- " Ever since I was a child I have suffered from illness. Thirteen and Chinese Dictionary about 100,000, whilst years ago a tired, languid, and heavy feeling this work contains more than 50,000 English They have no grounds for suspecting me more tinged with yellow, my skin was sallow, and my ters. Again, de. pite all the grammars and Butterfield & Swire Suspecting to get into a ing the revolver into his pocket, shifted his than anyone else, but I don't want to get into a hands and feet were cold and clammy. My other elementary works as yet published, the mouth tasted badly, especially in the morning princent of this difficult language absolutely reand I was often sick, vomiting a sour, frothy quies examples to display the various applidangerous. Pray be careful. It is shameful flaid. I had a print in the chest and sides, cations and equivalents of different words which heartburn, and flatulency. For four years I have one general meaning. Of these examples P. Li chfield, ter, bc., 10-12, Young, Jan. 26, suffered like this, and I shall be glad to recommend the medicine that finally cured man many as any other Dictionary hitherto pub. Gov. Goodwin. Amr. sh., 1,411. On'tes. Mar. 20, (signed) (Mrs.) FBANCES ENGLY SMITH. 491, lished. Woodhouse Street, Leads, January 25th, 1892.

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Hopkins, Dann & Co Shanghai, British shin, 1,290, Allan, Mar. 19, Butterfiell & Swire Sin Rolga, British bark, 542, Olsen, Jan. 23, Nils Moller & Bon Store Vordiske, Danish str., 595, Petersen, Jan. 20, G. N. Telegraph Co Setsuvo Maro, Jap. str., 682, Taran, Mar. 24, Thames, British str., 2,101, Seaton, Mer. 30 Verapean, British ship, 1,819, Rowley, Mar. 20, David Sassoon, Sons & Co NAGUSAKU In Port on 28th March, 1894. Baikel, Russian etr., 713, Erickion, Mar. 22, Holms, Ringer & Co Bargany, British ship, 1,233, Milne, Mar. 12, C. & J. Trading Co Mar. 27, Holme, dinger & Co Chowchowfoo, Ger. str., 793, Meyer, Mar.

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CHAPTER XIII .- Continued. The two after cabins bad been prepared for Dors and her father. They were the best berths in the saloon, especially in warm latitudes, being roomy and well ventilated by large square stern-

After an hour's unpacking and distributing various articles, Dora made both borths look comfortable and homely. But, not being acoustom! ed to narrow bunks, she did not quit appreciate the sleeping accommodation. Her father, however, having had considerable experience at sea, coon located himself, and fell asleep, being thoroughly fatigued by the journey and excitement. Dora, having completed her preparations, wont on deck. The scenery had much changed, for they were being rapidly towed down the river by a powerful little steam tug towards Gravesentl. The pilot was standing on the foreastle head keeping a sharp look-out, and whenever there were bends in the river or vessels in the way he would look aft and direct the belmaman to "port" or "starboard" as the case required. The Captain proed the poop and saw that the pilot's orders were promptly carried out, whilst his officers busied themselves

on the main deck seeing all the running genr clear, hatches properly battened down, spars lashed securely, and overything ready for sea. Captain Ashley was a thorough good hearted honest old mariner of the ancient and original type: rough but fatherly. humorous but sincere; a thorough, trustworthy, and experienced and a man universally liked and re-

spectal by owners, passengers, and erew. He was standing near the after binnacle when Dora west up, and, although occupied with the ship came forward and spoke to her. He was acticularly fond of chatting with young people d always made them, as well as everybody else, feel thoroughly at home aboard his ship. "Well, Miss Evans," he said, "I suppose you

have not as yet felt any ill effects from the motion of the ship? No. but take an old man's advice-don't keep below-too much when we get outside. Neptune seems to despise people who fail to admire his undulating tracts of territory about the picturesque Bay of Biscay, and he is liable to storm furiously and make himself generally obnexious to strangers who treat him "Does he?" asked Dora laughingly

"You bet be does?" was the indubious reply. "He got a down on me before we left the Channel when I was a youngster on my first voyage with old Captain Seymour in the Durham. For l came out of my bunk, which was a lower one. at Dover and offered the skipper all my clothes and pocket money to put meashore with the pilot. Theold fellow was not to be tempted with starched shirts, brass bound clothes, clasp knives, or anything, and with a lordly wave of his hand he intimated that he was above such bribery and such mean articles and declined to accept my generous offer. So I resumed my bunk, feeling thoroughly home sick and disgusted with every, thing and everybody nautical. And that night it came on to blow-to hum, as the skipper said, to how as I thought-and it blew so fresh that my new chest of clothes, wash-basin, bair brushes. looking glass, lamp and everything movable started a sort of can-can on their own secount. First and foremost in these gambols was the paraffin lamp—that came leaping and sliding into my bunk followed by a troop of minor beings in the shape of last-voyage panniking and host pots. tin plates, knives and forks, two shilling novols. empty jam pots, and a host of other invaders equally objectionable. I was battered about until I was nothing but a mass of pork-grouse, lamp oil, and braises. And then the ship went ashore. I shipped my life saving apparatus and went too schooner rigged. My aunt gave me that life saving apparatus -it was made to serve as a water bottle in times of peace and a life belt in times of storm. Well, Miss Evans, the cork came out and she filled up and nearly filled me

up too." "What did you do then?" inquired Dora, who was much amused with this quaint old mariner, who, it is needless to say, drew largely from imagination at times.

"What did t do an he repeated with a broad smile. "I took soundings, Miss Evans: I just went straight down to the bottom and walked along there until I fetched the shore. I went home then to prepare for the next start." "Were any of the orew drowned ?"

" Well, no; but we lost all our clothes and that was bad enough for some. Old Dennis, the p g. came ashore on the main-top and prought some of the fowls with him.

"Rather sagacious of him." remarked Dora. "You bet it was! and he looked pratty solomn and anxious coming in before the wind with cars up and nose to windward. But he was not altogether unconscious of his responsibility or peril, for no pig ever looked more surprised and relieved than he did on finding he had struck land. He never looked back once at the wreck but came granting and swaggering straight up the beach accompanied by his feathery oraw, who seemed rather proud of their four-footed hero of the main-top. I don't know whether, sleing the necessity of abandoning the ship, he had induced them to make for the shore, but they cartainly seemed very grateful to him for his fatherly protection."

seriously, "that you will be auxious, before leaving the coast, to post a few lines to your friends. anything like a slant down we shall not require | advance in the service." one. It looks like a good easterly or nor'-easterly wind; so once we get round the Forelands it will our army and respect our British soldiers. They

him about some cargo in the fore between decks added sternly and loftily, "they know how to which had been stowed badly. So he went for- fight, and know also how to honourably and pobly ward, whilst the pilot gave the order to set all dis-when it comes to the darkness of war!" the fore and aft canvas. This brought a number | These last words pleased Dorn. The blood of men up on the poop; and Dora went aft and mounted to her cheeks as for a moment she re- 10,-Aberdeen Paper Mills 0,-Il kong & Shanghal meditatively leaned over the taffrail; with eyes garded him with proud approval. Was not her fixed on the shore.

spreading lights and shades of evening already ! began to gently intermigle with the floral tints | " that peace claims more victims than war." that adorped the fertile banks of the shadowy river down which the Wild Wars sped, passing said as they neared the companion-ladder, where pretty old farmhouses with their that ched roofs, they were met by Mr. Evans, who had already towards which a few rustics could be seen re- been introduced to Dr. Rennie, who had visited turning from the broad fields whence the cool Holmwood Hall on his way back from London 65-Blackhevi & Co., 82. - Do., B'ham Strand breeze bore out apon the river, to those depart- and had gained the old gentleman's frientship. ing, the happy voices of dear young children that | and there was no doubt that Dora had snoken playfully mingled with the grateful sounds of well of her hero: but her father had at once peaceful country life—those sounds that in the taken a liking to the manly young fellow who peaceful country life—those sounds that in the taken a liking to the manly young tellow who sugar Office & Son, Queen's Rt. coming of day, and, in the end, return to simply ful mauner.

and perfectly sanctify its solemn departure. The Wild Wave soon arrived at Gravesend low to complete her toilette for the day with and before the " mud-pilot," as he is called, went | perhaps a little more care than usual ; but that ashore Dora hastily penned a few lines to was only natural; all women are alike in that 3,-Caullie, Dr., Pent of -Kennedy, J., Rorse Hannah. George Evans did not seem any the respect. better for the journey and remained in his bunk | A leading wind sprang up, and throughout for the rest of the day, After dinner Dora get the day favoured the Wild Wave's course. She with him for some time and then, having care- went "booming" along with all fore and aft fully attended to all his wants, she retired to her canvas set, and, assisted by two powerful tags, 72.—China Sugar Refluery, 4.—Lipraik, J. D., Res.

light, out, lay there dreamily watching the ed; some hoisted their number, other flow friendfew shore lights that at times flickered through ly symbols, and most of them dipped their ensign 13.—Daily Press Office. 12.—Peak fotel the port, and listening to the deep, drowsy, and as they quickly glided by; whilst the fore 67—Dairy Farm, Pok'lium 19.—P.& .) N.Co. not unmusical sound of rippling waters gently eastle hands on some homeward bounder would 85—Dairy Farm Co., 61.—Do. Mess Ponk playing on the old ship's side. And, whilst listen. | perhaps lean over the forward bulwarks of their the sounds of a boat coming alongside, and of their blackened book-pots and pannikins beluggage being brought into the saloon. And fore the eyes of their less fortunate brethren then she heard, or fancied she heard, a kind of the sea, who would sometimes grimly respond familiar voice, a passing voice of bulf-awakened with their own new tin ware which had hardly dreams, which, in the stillness that ensued, was been soiled with the coffee of a dog-watch. lost-lost but to echo and re-echo through the At about seven o'clock that evening Remagate dim-lit cloisters of her mind, growing fainter was passed. Here the tug-boots cast off and and fainter, until a strange feeling of rest and turned homeward; and the Wild Wave, with gladness atole over her, and her eyes closed as a fine north-easterly wind and clear weather.

lulled her into a peaceful slumber. out of the port, soon discovered that they were colook.

gentleman who had been pacing the deck caught as they traced the chauging coast line and sight of her and, with a look of evident sur- thought of many serious things. Old memories prise and pleased recognition, came forward, come crowding back to one at these times; as if partly awakened her on his arrival the previous out upon the water to see us off to see, hand in his and for a minute suffered it to Stand by to heave to! Hand the mainsail remain there in a friendly grasp, "it is a most up!"

agreeable surprise to meet you here. I was already beginning to feel quite lonely; it has where they had been resting for the watch on never been a pleasing prospect to me to leave dook must not go below until they are relieved. the shores of our country entirely in the company - The claws of the large mainsail were then of strangers and dependent on them for all the quietly hanled up and at a word from the pilot social pleasures of a voyage."

"I presume that you arrived last night whilst | yards trimmed forward as the ship, obedient to we were anchored at Gravesend, did you not, her helm, came up in the wind. alk fore and aft the poop.

You all, said the phot pointing to water and aft the population of the pastengers, some of whom Pares erfolgen.

You be replied with a glad and fond smile, taking leave of the pastengers, some of whom Swatow, den is. Denember, 1893. walk fore and aft the Doop.

and I am afraid that I must have disturbed gave him letters to post at Dover. you in coming aboard at such an nutimely hour : A small boat then come alongside and, with a but I nearly lost my passage. How strange it friendly wave of his bet, the pilot quickly disapseems, though, that we should meet again, perred over the side and was soon aboard a pilot especially under these circumstances. Really. Dora I begin to feel quite grateful to that poor old gipsy who frigutened you so much—but little and had been meditatively sitting with poor old creature. How strangely significant the passengers and enjoying the fresh evening register sowie anderweitige Bekannther predictions seem -don't they P " Yes." Dora slowly Feplied with rather a athwartships. Pausing for a memont to glance

they were far too incomprehensible to have very much significance. I am not" she added with a | watchsmile. "a great believer in any form of neoro. manoy or cabalism; but I quite concar with you n thinking that it is not pleasant to launch out on so long a journey with utter strangers: although on ench occasions I should imagine that mon have the advantage of our sex it being able to happily wile away the time, having so many sociable pursuits and solsoing indulgences, besides every ecope for gymnastic redrection." Dr. Rennie smiled rather dubiously and did

"Perhaps so, Dora," he answered, "but at the ame time you must allow that women, being of gentler nature and more akin to one another in sympathy, are generally able to derive much amusement and find interesting topics from trivial but fruitful sources which to us have hitherto been proportionately uninteresting and prospective. barren. Speaking separately of our classes and n a metaphorical sense, most things which naturally grow in the garden of your mind and are sweet to your taste would require much forsing in ours and then would rarely be relished." Dora did not quite goincide with his plain.

spoken opinion of woman's social efficiency and any other local print. "Then I sappose, Egbert," she remarked with a pratty pout, " that which is fresh and dewy to us is somewhat stale and dry to you, is it not? of Mail and of other important Intelligence "In one sense—yes. It is partly applicable from Bombay, Madras Galle, &c.: bosides to both sexes; not, however, when they REUTER'S SERVICE PROM EUROPE. &c. mingle in friendly intercourse. We then graft our independent powers of entertaining Japan, Rupees 47, in advance. companionship together and, exchanging our THE WEEKLY "CEYLON OBSERVER. sentiments to the best purpose, are thus enabled with SUPPLEMENTS containing all Tele to enjoy fruits and flowers which, through exgraphic Intelligence.

transous sultivation, are uncommonly agreeable

"As to gymnastic recreation at sea," he continued rather drily, "certainly in fine weather and smooth water we have the advantage of von in had weather the contest is most doubtful-we give you the benefit of the doubt. cortainly believe in muscular exercise, but has now been blush to own that I generally confine myself to the lower rigging; and if that is not suffi- and includes the Report of the PUBLIC cient for my nerves and muscles, well I go far- MEETING AT SHANGHAL, and of the ther aloft either very early in the morning. MEETING OF THE HONGEONG COMMITTEE. about coffee time, or late at night, when those on board are least likely to notice my interesting movements in gaining the main top, by way of the lubber's hole—a feat truly despicable in the eyes of all conscientious marines and people versed in matters of the sea."

"You seem to have had considerable experience at sea," she observed. "Not much, Dora, I first left England a the age of twenty-two-about four years ago; sailing from. Portamonth to Singapore to oin my regiment. Previous to that I had crossed the Channel once or twice between Calais and Dover; and recently I have had little yachting experience with my father up the Mediterranean-I am now under orders for Hongkong. So you may judge that my knowlodge of things nautical, beyond what I have read, is rather limited. I wonder when I shall see the white ramparts of this dear old island again—are you likely to return soon, Dora ?" "It is impossible to tell. Egbert." she said rather sadly. 'My father and I are bound to Shanghai and we may remain there for some

"Then there is little prospect of us spending any happy days together in China, is there?" 'I do not know; let us hope for the best." "And look for the worst," he continued rather

" Never mind, Dora," he added more cheerfully We will make the most of the time that is ours. I shall regard the faw months of our outward passage as years of happiness, and instead of praying for favourable gales to quicken our onward way I shall pray for fine weather, calma, and sometimes cooling showers won't old Sammy whistle and box the yards about if m. prayers are answered-dear old fellow! be knew ine when I was a little child. Dora-ke is an old her; but Sammy Ashley was always a wild lad Agriculturist stands unrivalled, the work being and as he says 'had a natural instinct for salt age and an equally natural aversion for fresh Monthly Periodical, the Propical Agriculturitie shells and narrow ideas since be can remember, during each month.

his choice of a rathin in preference to a ratan." " Are you ford of a roving life?" she asked "Indeed I am!" he answered enthusiastically travel-not at sea, though. I prefer dry land pertory of everything relating to the economic, I should like to lead a life of vicissitude and and canvas walls, and scenery ever changing. and diversified by stirring incidents of travel." "But I should imagine, Egbert, that a military ife has many advantages in this respect, offering an extensive range for such inclinations."

"A military life is very slow at times. Dora. and its inertness is physically and morally al Above twelve-"I suppose, Miss Evans," he continued more great evil-especially on a foreign station. It is always the same monotonous routine; not half Half enough exercise and extravagantly indulgent Whole Yos, well we shall drop anchor at Graves and for living which comprises a variety of expansive the next tide and you can send any letters senore and injurious forms of etiquette and good fallowby this pilot, who leaves there and is succeeded ship that you must strictly adhere to and geneby another who goes ashore at Daver. We may | rously observe if you desire to be on good terms have a Channel pilot after that, but if we get with the officers of your regiment and hope to

"Nevertheless," he continued, " Lam proud of may have their many faults-we all have, in the Just then the chief officer came up to consult sunshine of peace and plenty; but, Dora," he

brother a soldier too, who knew how to nobly die ? Ma .- Aberdeen Paper Mills &t .- H'kong & Shanghai The day was gradually closing and the swift- And then she grew more thoughtful for a time. "Then I learn from you," she at length said, 25 .- Aberdeen Dock "You have learned the plain truth, Dora," he | 40.—Anderson, Capt. G. C., 31.—Il'kong & Kowloon

Dora left the two men together and went be-

made at least six or seven knots an hour. Many She soon got into her bunk and, putting the | homeward and outward bound vessels were passing, she was partly aroused from this lethargy by vessel and, with triumphant significance, flourish

the soft farewell masic of the river and the ship | made good progress under full sail, run. ning close under the South Foreland light and She awoke early next morning, and, on looking leaving it on the starboard quarter by nine

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Mr. Huddart has raplied that no decision been arrived at though be implied that Liverpool would be the terminus of the line. Mr. James Huddart, the promoter of the new Atlantic steam service between Canada and England, has b'en interviewed with regard to

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the Foreign Office to-day; The Earl of Resobery, the new Premier, had pointed a committee to frame a squeme for the a great reception. In the course of his address be enlegised Mr. Gladstone and deplored his absence, adding that his "sublime and pathetid presence had done much to enrich and enumble the House of Commons." The policy of the The cricket team organised by Mr. A. E. party would remain unchanged. The honour Stoddart to wish Australia will bounded of England and the pelco of the earth would M.Gregor (Cambridge University and Middle be safe in the hands of the Government. The sex) J. Briggs (Lancashire). Ward (Lancashire) Promier referred to the maggarimous conduct R. Peel (Yorkabire). W. H. Leckwood (Notis of Sir William Harcourt, who had waived his and Sprrey). J. T. Hearns (Middlesex), and posclaim to the Premiership in his (Lord Roseberys) Sibly A: Mold (Lahoashire). favour. Commenting on the Ministerial pro- Gan and Shrewsbury have declined to gramme, Lord Rosebery said the measure for company the team. the disestablishment of the Church in Wales would be placed in the forefront, and pressed to solved to reduce the duties on wine. M. Marti a successful conclusion, As to Ireland, the Minister of Commerce, has promised to intro-Ministry was tied to the Irish question by every duce a bill to eccourage wine calture and ex

the House of Lords on Home Rale had been been tried and acquitted. misunderstood. The Government was entirely identified with the attitude taken up by M Gladstone with regard to the House of Lords. whose revision and rejection of Liberal measures he (Lord Rosebery) oballenged. A Chamber so constituted was an anomaly and a clanger under democratic suffrage, and his conviction on this point had been despende since the recent un: happy chapter of accidents. He recognised the grave inconvenience dttaching to the Premier wing unable to sit in the House of Commons though modern politics had not yet d-manded that "no Lords need apply."

longed cheering. Sir William Jaronnyk Chancellor of the Ex chequer, also andke, and reiterated his recent attack on the House of Lords Lordon, 12th March.

The Promier's speech was greated with pro-

Parliament was opened at noon to-day, The Queen's Speach stated that it was expected that an early and equitable adjustment of the frontier questions with Russia would be brought about. Parlayings were in progress with the United States Government with regard to the execution of the Behring Sea award. The inquiry was proposition in a calm and displified The Speece deployed the collisions with the French in West Africa. Agrarian crime la Australian pagilist Ireland had been reduced under the ordinary law to the lowest point for the part 16 years. The bills to be introduced include measures for equalising the rates of London and for an am endment of the Factories and Miner Acts

LONDON, 13th March Speaking on the motion for the adoption of Throgmorton street, by Professor H. S. Fox the Address in Raply in the Bouse of Lords, well. Mr. H.E. Vardon, muster warden of the the Marquis of Salisbury urged that, in justice company, presided, and among those on the to England and Ireland, an early appeal should platform were the Right Hon W Lidderdale be made to the country on the Home Rule Mr. H. Hucks Gibbs Mr. Alex Wallice Mr.

said that recent incidents in Egypt showed that Keswick, and Mr. John Green. it would be nocessary to exercise vigilant supervision over affiles in that country for some lime to come. He promised to introduce a bill to enlarge the powers of the London County Council. It was not intended to propose a measpre of Home Rule during the present session, but an appeal | best solution of the present difficulties of the would be made to the country when the time was question; he was not there to advocate this ripe for it. He suffred with Lord or that system. The subjects of his four for the stones are stumped out by machinery, Salisbury, that befor Home Rule was conceded lectures might be summed up in a sentence and the claws bent over the stones, instead of England must be convinced that such a measure | Recent changes in the world's monetary being out to the stone. In ancient lines gold would do justice to Ireland. He implied that valuations; their courses and consequences for the dead was beaten with a Home Rule would be conceded at a later stage. It was hardly necessary to inset on the heavy hammer between thin layers of leather, to Scotland and Wales, in order to relieve the supreme importance of these currency move The present practice is to use thin leaves of val.

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Commons, Mr. A. J. Balfour, leader of the Op- out that there was a general downward french of it diminishes malloability, and gold leaf is sold by position, delivered an incisive speech, protesting prices from 1819 to 1850, that after the gold distant by weight. By successive heatings against the hanging up of Home Rule. Goverles in 1850 there was a general trend of gold can be brought to a thickness of 1-200,000th moved an amendment to the address declaring there was a steady continuous fall of prices, locally ski ful, and Castallani is of opinion that the condition of trade and agriculture and broken only once in 1880 and alightly broken again that they were better chemists than we are. the question as to the unemployed, required the in 1890. Mr. Squerbook worked on 31 commodi. It was long found impossible to copy the colour attention of Parliament.

Lord Randolph Churchill. Dublin, and Mr. Henry Labouch re. M.P. for was the true test commodifies we found that

The Marquit of Salisbury, Mr. A. J. Balfour measured in commodities, had appreciated by one-(leader of the Opposition). Sir William Har half since 1878, while it would appear that the of apprenticeship. Seophilus taught that a sank luxuriously back amongst the cushions court, Chaucellor of the Exchequer, and Lord purchasing price of allver at the end of 1892 was Resebery, the Premier, elequently landed the almost exactly the same measured in commedities. brilliant career and qualifies of Mr. Gladstone, east was in 187—it was lightything rather more, and lamented his retirement.

The principal point in dispute, was a to what

ed in the Queen's Speech

of Lord Rosebery's admission as to the necessity other words, that if the demand for money refer convincing England that Home Rule would mained the same and its supply was indo justice to Ireland dwarfs the rest of the de- creased, its walne would fall, while, on the bate and reduces the agitation against the House other hand, if the demand for money re- The following or column letter has been sent to of Lords to the rankest absurdity. Lord Rose- mained nearly, the same and its supply was shipowners throughout the kingdom by the bery, it adds, virtually, acquiseers in the argu- diminished its value would rise. He know of no M. rehapt Service Guild (exptains and officers);

the middle of April.

section of the Irish party, said it was inteler-The Morning Post to day publishes an article able that Home Rule chould by abandoned by

Control throughout, it says, the cable would be Mr. H. Labonohere, M.P. for Northampton, uspless in time of war, and should not receive moved an amendment to the address to the offect Imperial assistance. It suggests that the cable that an address be presented to the Queen nexshould be under Government control, South ing her Majesty to exercise bor preregative with Australian and other interests receiving bom- the view of preventing the House of Liords rejecting bills proviously passed by the Lower Sir William Harvourt. Chancellor of the Ex-

chequer, in opposing the smeudment, ridiculad Atlantic steam service from Canada to Great the creation of 500 Pears, which he declared would virtually by the result of the exercise of has the Royal prerogative in the direction demunded The amendment was carried on division by a majority of 2, the numbers being as follow :-

Majority for amendment Seventy-three Irish members voted with the majority. The divisionewas taken just before cessful carrying out of the service. £2,000,000 the dinner bour, and earlier than was expected. the extreme Radicals supported Mr. Labouchere's amendment The Unionist members present voted with the Government

The Irish members explain that they were ports when the directors have been appointed. their action is regarded as an expression of steamers will eventually be run weekly. Colonial . Sir William Harcourt subsequently had an federation, Mr. Haddart says, should promote interview with the leading members of the Irish the interests of the Pacific route. New Zealand party, as the result of which an actual rapture. would gain nothing by holding blook. He was averted; though the mature of the promise believes that the colonial conference at Ottaws made on behalf of the Government to the Trish It is not likely that the Government will

sign. A new Address will probably be substitu- who desire to get more than their money's worth the loss of their pin-money, and their fathers ted, or a vote of confidence in the severement for the price of their tickets. We may be quite and busbands wonder how it is that they spend will be proposed. The Unionist press considers that the incident declaring that there have no confidence in Lord is algolfleant of an early break-up of the Govern-

An amendment to the Address moved by Mr. Irishmen to take steps to termina's the policy J. B. Redmond in favour of on Amnesty being than any one wise to odes it, would have been granted to Irish dynamiters was negatived by a majority of 19). Mr. H. H. Asquith the Home the musiciana have brought the evil upon them better things, and therefore when they take to Secretary, refused to grant the concession. Mr. Redmond threatened to set on foot a tenewed agifation in Treland if Home Bule be suspended

An impression prevails that Lord Rosebery means to approach Home Rule in a federal spirit The Liberal newspapers fertiliose Lord Rose-Ir land Mr. Michael Davith admits that this view justifies the rejection of the Home Rule A meeting of the Liberal party was held at Bill by the House of Lords. The Standard states that the Cabinet has no

establishment of a Ministry of astional defence. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS London 9th March.

bond of honour and policy, and Mr. John port, with the view of trying to replace arti-Cabinet indicated the intintions of the Govern- Coughlip. a member of the Clan-pa-Gas seoret organisation, who was charged with the Lord Rosebery explained that his speech in murder of Dr. Cronis, of Chicago, in 1889, has LONDON, 11th March.

> A dynamite outrage his been perpetrated by anarchists at Fuenterrevollo, near Segura, the province of Old Castile, Spain. A bomb was exploded, killing a major and the appristant of a church.

The French Government has been defeated by a majority of 68 on a motion brought for ward in the Chamber of Deputies in favour of treiting the discussion on the liquor duties as a matter of process Lord Deerbars. who visited Australia some

Dailynge. The ceremony was a brilliant one. The death is announced of Sir James Fits ames Stephen, R.C.S.I., formarly a India of the High Court of Justice (Exchequer Division) The death is an accorded of John selby, the Notth oricketer, who twice visited Australia. A dynamite bomb has been exploded in the

Italian quarter of New York. No serious in jury was dono. LONDON, 13th March. Thei Sportemen announces that a fight has been arranged to take place at the Antional Sporting Club, London, between James Corbett the American champion and Peter Jackson; the

PROPESSOR FOXWELD ON SILVER

The first of a series of four lectures on Monetary Question " was delivered on the lat March in the ball of the Drapers Company, Thomas Bulk Mr. Hugh Matterne Mr. H. Lord Resobery, in the course of his speech; Greatell, Mr. William P. Sawyer, Mr. William

Professor Forwell stated that he had under

taken to deliver the dectares in answer to a request to him to give an exposition of the general tentures of the present monetary situation. While he had no doubt in his own mind as to the The motion for the adoption of the Address in searches of Mr. Sauchbeck, in illustration of

ties from 1818 to 1845, and after 1845 od 44, and of Etruscan gold; but it can be done by heat-The amendment was negatived by a large they were selected as typical of the general moveusention prices. The common error that gold was salt salt potes, and alum. Mechanical aids to re-up to his suburban station in a dashing value from 1853 to 1877. This value of pold. The Marquis of Salisbury, Mr. A. J. Ballour measured in commodities, had appreciated by one-Both Chambers exhibited deep sympathy with happened in 1873 to cause such an obvious sitera. the ex-Premier in the causes which led to his tion in the direction of prices, and the only event he could refer to was the demonstization. In the Hones of Commons last night the Go. of silver, which commenced in that year. He vernment introduced the principal bills mention- had taken for granted that money like every other commodity of which we had knowledge, man and to say are becoming scarcer every year.

The Times says that the revolutionary effect followed the law of supply and demand in

other principle applicable to the case. It had — In view of the change which has taken place.

The Daily Telegrapheness that both sections of been disputed by Dr. Giffen, than whom, how during him years in the work of merchant shipthe Irish party are disenticalled with Lord Rose ever, before 1888, he know of no writer who had ping; and the consequent increased pressure upon 13th Mar, had fresh wind and rainy weather to bery's declaration in regard to Home Rule. So admirably exponeded this view. In the the expabilities of the property of that the Port Dalwin. From Port Dalwin to port light should be given in the Ministerial programme 28, 1893. Mr. Goschen said - I do not know venture to approach our amployees, the shipown N.F. wind in China Sea. chequer, will deliver his Budget speech about silver in the world was too large to Be ousted for your consideration of the matter, and fine to Ocksen. From Ocksen to Doid Is matting, and 29 packages merchandisc.

Mr. John Redmend, leader of the Parnellite carrency totally and lamoutably fells."

What it rightly called the "encore nuisance." has had a startling illustration in the sad oir- in port, necessitates extra daty in respect of the breeze and clear. Steamers in Focobow :- Obi camstances which preceded, if they did not cargo. The establishment of three watches on and Hacakin. In Amy; Sungking, Formosa, directly cause, the death of the gifted and ships where there are three officers will involve Cass, and Poochi. In Swatow:—H.M.S. Pigmy, popular singer. More: Pitoy, an artist who for no additional expense, but will by giving them and Taiwan.

proper and sufficient rest, enable them to attend
proper and sufficiently, which is impossible to their duties efficiently, which is impossible which she specified on the death of Mms. under the present system. In order to remove sainten Dolby. The extratrophe of the Sheffield any doubt as to the legality of a third officer concert room affords a very remarkable parallel baving sole charge of a watch, the guild have to the bironmstances attending the death of been in communication with the Board of Trade Mino. Malibran, at Minobister, in 1836. Both and have received the following official statesingers kept faith with the public although most .- In reply to your inquiry, the Board of each was saffering from severe illness; and, had Irede desire me to state that they are advised they limited their exertions to the task that they there is no objection to the ship officers being had undertaken to perform in all probability divided into three watches, assuming always both lives would have been prolonged. In each that the officer in charge of each watch is a procase the extra effort of granting an empore was parly certificated officer.'

the second dage in which the practice has deprived the world of an excellent artist, scene repeated would be very properly bilenced at bettier women in loud evidence on all

and incon decate mambars of the audience, courses maintain a messenger service to facilitate cause of the evil lay here a single actist of the far from regarding it as an evil three thoy feel. noted; but when they are allowed to retire without giving an exita performince, and going as part of their stock-in-trade. The party injured by the encore system is

powever, unt always the singer, by any means, although the kind of compulsion that some classes of heavers find amasement in exercismay very possibly not desire to sit through Ship that never came Home." ions of the whole work and to produce an diet of "Accidental death " was returned. under impression of length. In such cases, too, the applause may have indicated nothing tion. New thet exclamatious such as "encore" or "bis" have good out of fashion, such self, the audience immediately joining him. considerations as these should weigh with those who akono have the remedy in their. of the day are alraid of off ading their addictions by persistent tofusal; let them at composition, not for the performer. They will probably find the task of refusing to play or sing age a made increasingly easy for them, driven to it by worry." for a great many find acoters o concerts doubt

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GOLDSMITHS WORK, PAST AND

PRESENT

lanters slides. In the 11th emtury, Mrs. New. dinner, composed of the highest forensie luminman observed, the Monk Theophilus wrote a sries. treatise on gold work, which when all the odd superatitions about the preparation of gold are eliminated, shows a priorical knowledge breach of promise. The defendant had compopularly thought that gold oun only be farbiound with the aid of heat whereas in truth much of the applient work was made without the application of heat at all. Some of the oldest specimens were worked cold, beaten, and twisted into shape by theer force. No really chemically pure gold was over worked or ever bould be, the highest standard reached being 22 oarats. Prenon 18 carat gold is not quite so pure as ours of the same denomination and only assays to 17.33, or a quarter of a grain worse than ours. It is alloyed with copper, which gives It a reddish tinge. If the gold is wanted for gom rings and the work is to be good, it is left thick and cut with shears into sips. For common work, of which there is too much at Birmingham Sheffield, and even in London the settings ments. Referring to charti based on the re- lum. The thin gold of the ancient was of about the same quality-one part of alloy, sither silver the motion for the address in the Hense of tory of prices during the last 60 years, pointing is but small inducement to increase the alley, as gainst the banging up of Home Rule. | coveries in 1850 there was a general trend of gold can be brought to a thickness of 1-200,000th Mr. C. F. Howard Vincent, M. P. for Sheffield, prices upwards, till 1873, and that after 1873 of an inch. Anotent addering was marvelpotition were very early discovered, and the turn-out, and his groom powed the door of the lad should be incorrecticed for not less than oight years, and that aven then another term was desirable. In fact to be a thorough mes-

WATCHES ON BOARD SHIP.

ter there ought to be a training of 21 years.

There are still bagnily, among us goldsmithal

whose work is equal to that of the best period,

have lost no opportunity sign that apprentice-

ship of learning more about their work. Such

suld in his speech last year at Manchester :- sanction the adoption of the system; and the breeze and fine. From Amoy to Hongkong light April -- Por London -- 11 packages merchandise, Alzans, Brit. bk., Matthews -- Wieler & Co. In the debute in the House of Commons on We want two things in our currency. We division of the officers into three watches on S.W. breeze and fine Steamers in Amoy. 30 cases of Commons on We want two things in our currency. We division of the officers into three watches on S.W. breeze and fine Steamers in Amoy. the Address in Reply to the Speech from the require of it that it shall be a convenient me board such of your ships as carry three or Hailsong.

WOMEN GAMBLERS IN AMERICA about a surely they the effect of lessening, if A betting room was recently raided in New not altogether removing to evil that has been York, and, it is stated, many buly gamblers. telerated too long. In the present day almost the were found in it, for some of whom private caronly fithe resistance to the practice apart from riages were in waiting. Commention upon students countries and as those of the Royal this, the New York World remarks that Academy where even a recall is ferbidden, the swideness that the modern woman is made at chartes of concerts that are by no is sometimes possessed of gambling promeans the most influentiator artistic of London pousities are growing apass. In the earlier, enteringments at occrestral and chamber milder and less professional days of American donourts of the highest rank encores may not. literature a novel that intimated that the haroine indeed be encouraged but they are occasionally bet gloves at the country fair on her father's allowed; and of nourse, they are almost the rule three year-old was regarded as treading on the is operat of all kind -exe-pting only the music- then nuknown but suspected borders of dramas of Warner, where the alternat to get a French literature. Now we have the

American race-tracks. They know how to At first sight the national concert-good is apt bet. They are rich in alluming and deceptive to regard the fashion as mainly due to the ignor- tips. The proprietors and clubs of the racesertain that, if this were so, a short and deter- so much and get so little. And now policemined opposition to the out on by a few leading men catch them in pool-rooms just as if they performers would very soon put an and toit. If the were nothing but men, and they play poker in private houses after the opera. Women are not position of Mr. Sens Reeves, who has done mora good gamblers. A good gambler is a man who knows how to keep cool during the game and stop moonsful ere now. The lamentable fast is that before he is ruined. Women are intended for Ivas, and that the visi majority of them are so gambling they are in danger of all the vice that is going. When poker invaded society femininity. sheated of their due, as when an encore is er was endangered and a woman who will go to a pool-room is pretty for down to the moral scale. Somety ought to pull up and make new resoluthrough the wall-knewn comede of faigned re- tions. Some of its women are not much nicec instance which some famous singers have learnt than other women who smuke cigarettes and drink too much (wing.

OLLA PODRIDA.

There is a clock at the Royal Exchange which ing after a performing hins manif stad a real plays on alternate days "God save the Queen disinglination to grant in ensure, approaches and "Auld Lang Syne." It is suggested that it very nearly an exhibition of brothlity; the inpluy for the future. "There's use Luck about telligent heaver surely has his right, and he the House." and for the benefit of Lloyds. "The

twice the covenanted amount of trashy ballads in order to hear semithing which is An inquest has been held at St. Bartholomew's placed late in the programme. In the higher Hospital on a lad, 16 years of age, who died walks of the to the listener's pleasure in hear- from injuries to the head, caused by a blow from ing a new work has been entirely destroyed a bagutelle ball which being rolled sharply by by the injudicious repetition of a single move- another boy along a table at which the two were ment that has caught the public ear, for much playing, cannoned with another ball, rebounded, repetition out hardly fail to apset the proper- and struck the despased on the forehead. A ver-

An unusual incident occurred at the Academy more than admiration of the music or its of Music in Montreal at the termination of a berfaringgod, and by no means a desire to performance given by Madame Patti, at which hene at again. And there is no way, short of the Governor-General, Lord Aberdeen, and a making sounds that are to say the deast, brilliant audience were present. At the end of namentaly, of indicating a wish that the the concert the orchestra omitted to play "God programme should proceed without interrup. Save the Queen," when Lord Aberdaga stond up, and in a clear voice started the author him-

Sir Benjamin Richardson declares that moderation in drinking is "the gate of dissipation." hands. If the popular singers and players He is entitled to hold this opinion, but he might as well say that mederation in enting is the gate. of gluttony. Sir Benjamin more reasonably ing something else for the music that has been affirms that the chief causes which lead women applause at least may have heat meant for the cupation, and grief. But grief, he thinks, does On Box nay. from social habit, love of life and gaiety, or are

A bardensome incident, dating three or four less go on applauding in a ly in order to hear hundred years back, has just received added another song or pince. The reform must neces authority in the Law Courts. Mr. Justice Charles years ago, has been married to Miss Violoria satily be slow, however it may begin, for at pre- had before him a disputed claim to "heriot seat the large majority, but it of performers and This is a privilege enjoyed by the lord of the hearers are in favour of a practice which most manor, and is really a death-duty paid by judicious persons cagard as an unmixed evil, and the tenant. It may be paid in kind or in which sometimes as in the sad instance of two money, but must always be the best beast on the days ago, may become an act of unintentional estate or its value. The late Captain Hawley Smart made for this foundal custom a most -ffective situation in one of his happiest novels: Even the judges who have to decide, uphold, and administer these relies of bygone times, and even the Queen herself is bound by quaint bonds of her predecesors. Thus, for instance, A lecture on this subject was delivered on the she sands twice a year, of antique custom, a doe 27th P-bruary at the Sectory of Arts by Mis. to the Lord Chief Justice of England. This tit-Philip Novman and abundantly illustrated by bit is supposed to figure at an eneming legal

> When the last mail left a case was ander trial in which a lady barber good a barrister for Brown & Co., H. G. mitted himself in alleged poetry as follows :-

Once I met in London Town, Totally unexpected, A little girl of no renown, With whom I got connected, She sang no song of amount race, Of pride, great wealth, or glory, But all day long she shaved the face Of Liberal or Tory. But later on a change came on; She could not call her heart her own, Because of him with wig and gown Who very frequently came down.

And now this little tale must close. Brospt the writer no one knows His happiest day, without pretext. Will be the 2nd of August next, When Lottie Chettle's name will be From them to all steraity. DLottie Wicks, the wife of him

Who has composed this short poets.
With my love and best withes, in memorism de die

A very good storm about a member of the Stock Exchange was told me this week, says a writer in Figure, and I hasten to pass it on. The gentleman in question is a febber, who has got on fairly well, and has become puffed up in consequence, apending his life in one continued. demonstration of opulation in order to impross the world at large. In the "House," where he was known in his humbler days, he finds it no use to out a dash, for it simply brings on his head the most unmarciful chaff; so ho The debate was made in gold; and the value of gold Churchill.

Settimate was made in gold; and the value of gold Grocks used dies for their necklases and cutters railway carriage for him so deferentially that all for paters. But they differed from us in the other passengers wondered who the distinguished granteened; if however, we took what he contended having thorough artists for each department guished granteened in the for coat was. As the guished gentleman in the for coat was. As the of the work. The modern excessiva sublivitrain began to move, the lobber thrust his Northampton, moved amendments to the Ad-wold had appreciated 50 per cent above taxverage sion of dabour is faint to artistic excellence, head out of the window, and called loudly to and is never so lated as in the goldsmith's the groom, "John! John! I say John! Tell sank luxuriously back amongst the cushions Indo-China S. N..... with a glauce of trimph around the car- Wichel Wareh'se Co. riage for it was the sesson when asparagus Watson & the A. S. was a costly rarity. It was a successful little demonstration, and he was happy. But in the next carriage it unfortunately happened that there was another Stock Exchange man, who but they have not only served their time, but gently spread the anecdote about. Imagine the Old at Malwa ..... \$700 disgnet of the haughty jebber, on entering the Petna (New) ..... \$615 market a few minutes later, to find himself Patua (Old) ..... 2850 greated from all sides with derinive cries of Benares (New) ... \$685 " John I John I I say John L Hell cook to serve Beneres (Old) .. \$650 the bloater as an hors d'agree,"

SHIPPING BEPORTS. The British steamer Chingto, from Sydney Port Darwin. Erom Port Darwin to port light shells, 868 packages tes, 117 bales canes, 200

straig which incapacitates the officers from pro- breeze, thick fog; thence to Swatow light S.W. perly attending to their onerous and responsible breeze and clear weather, smooth sea. From duties whilst on watch and in charge of the Swatow to Chelang Point moderate to light d.E. ship; this strain is also much accontinted in the breeze and clear weather; there's to Single Iscase of cargo steamers, which, being frequently land thick fog; thence to port light westerly

AMOY BUILDIAS. ABRIVALS.

27, Kungpai, Chinese str., from Shanghai 27. Vante, British str., from Shanghai. 28. Hangohow. British atr., from Swatow. 2d Cass Chinese str. from Tamsui. 29, Formoso, British atr., from Tamsui. 29. Thales, British str. from Hongkong. 20. Yuensang, British str., from Hongkong. 80, Newchwang, British str., from N'chwang. 30. Sieban, British vir. from Swalow. 31. Builan, British str., from Hongkong. 31. Singan, British str. from Swatow. 31. Namos, British str., from Foodow. 31. Tritos German str. from liongkoug. 31. Namyoug, British str., from Swatow. 31, Cu-s, Chinese str., from Tamani. 31. Formosa, British ste., from Tamaui.

1, Thales, British str., from Taiwanfoo. 1. Pekin, British str., from Poochow. 3. Fokios, British str., from Hongkong. 3, Cass, Chinese atr., from Tameni. March DEPARTURES. 23. Hangohow, British str., for Shanghai. 25. Glanesk, British str., for Hougkoug. 26. Formosi, British str., for Tamsui. 27. Pokien, British str., for Swalow. 28, Hangonow, British str., for Shanghai. 29. Formosa, British ste, for Camsai. 29, Cass, Chinese str., for Tameni. 29. Phales, British atr., for Taiwantoo. 29. Oanfa, British str., for Hongkong. 29. Kungpai Chinese str., for Swatow. 30, Wenchow, British str., for Shanghai. 33, Yumang, British str., for Manila. 30, Sishan British str., for Straits.

31, Namos, British str., for Swatow. 31, Singan, British str., for Shanghai. Polyphemus, British str., for Shanghai. Formosa, British str., for Tamsui Cass. Chinese atr., for Tameni. 2. Newouwang, British etr., for Shanghai. Thales, British str., for Swatow. 2, Tritos, German etc., for Taiwanfoo, 3, Pekin, British str., for Taiwanfoo. 3; Fokien, British str., for Tamsui.

31, Huitan, British atr., for Foosbow.

FOOCHOW SHIPPING. Warch-ARRIVATA. 25, Pakin, British str., from Hongkong. 27. Names, British str., from Hongkong, 30. Obi. British str., from Amoy. 30, Kwongsang. British str., from Swatow. 30, Kungpai, Chinese str., from Amoy. 31. Contest, British bark, from Shaughai. 31, Hasshin, Chirese str., from Shanghai. DEPARTURES. 25. Haeshin, Chinese at ... for Shanghai. 27. Pekin, British str. 10c Wenchow.

30, Namos, British atr., for Hongkong.

COMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE,

FRIDAY, 6th April. CLOSING QUO PATIONS. EXCHANGE. LONDON .-Telegraphic Transfer Bank Bills on demand Bank Bills, at 30 days sight ......2/0 Bank Bills, at 4 months sight ... 2/0 Credits, at 4 months eight ..................................2/0 Documentary Bills, 4 months sight2/1 N PARIS.-Credits, at 4 months' sight ......2.61 ON GERMANY. On demand ......2.04 ON NEW YORK .-

ON CALCUTTA. ON SHANGHAL .-Private, 30 days' sight ......73 IN YOROHAMA -On demand ...... 11 % pm. N MARILA. On demand ON SINGAPORE.

Bank Bills on demand ......494

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Throne, Mr. John Morley, Chief Secretary for diam of exchange between different countries, more certificated officers, In support of our The British steamer Riction, from Focobow bales row silk, and 50 cashs soy. For Liverpool The Daily Chronicle this morning contains a Iroland, east that an English majority was not and we require of it that it shall be a fair and request, we would point out that the present 3rd April, Amoy 4th, and Swatow 5th, had light and swatow 5th, had light and swatow 5th, had light and request, we would point out that the present 3rd April, Amoy 4th, and Swatow 5th, had light an leading article in apport of a Pacific cable un easential to carrying Home Rule. It was im. permanent record of phigalions over long periods system of two watches, of four hours on and four S.E. breace, thick for from Foodhow (Sharp Per Girman steamer Bellong swilled on the der entirely British control, and approving of possible to fix a date for the reintroduction of of time, and is both of duty, bricks and elear weather, smooth sea. From Cases blackwoodware, 204 cases campber, 50 below Mr. James Huddard's proposed Atlantic service the Home Rule Bill. and thur brings about a mental and physical Amoy (Chapel Island) to the Brothers light 8. W. canes, 200 rolls matting, 5 casts inman here, For Havre option Hamburg 47 cases camphor, 820 rolls matting, and 100 cases cassis. buds. For Havre option Hamburg option London-7 box+s essential oil. For Hamburg-16 boxes cassia oil, 2 boxes paper, 405 boxes camphor, 217 bales feathers, 225 cases gallusts, 35 cases bristles, 200 boxes stacquised, 93 volls 10th inst chatting, 167 packages cance, 50 packages private.

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HONGKONG REGISTER.

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First Assistant Hongkong Observatory, 6th April, 1894.

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PHE ENGLISH MAIL. The P. & O steamer Sweet, with the Baglish. it of the 9th March left Sigranora in Monday, the 2nd at 5 n.m., and may be expected on or about Sunday, the 8th last. This picket brings replies to letters despatched from Hong-

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THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O. & O. stosmor G. with the American mail of the 2 th att. leaves Yokohama on the morning of the 7th, and may be expected on The P. M. steam r City of Peking, with the American muil, lefe San Francisco via Yoka-

hains on the 29th alt. The P. M. extra steamer City of Sydney. with the American mail, left San Francisco via Yokohama on the 4th inst. THE CANADIAN MAIL. The C. P. stammer Empress of India, with

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The Glan Line steamer Glonfruin left Singapore on the evening of the 5th, and may be expeoted on the 12th inst. The Lustrian Lloyd's starmer Vindebond left Singapore on the 6th, and may be expected on the 13th inst. The N. P. steamer Tucover left Victoria, B.C. on the 5th inst.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES:

PEAR DELIVERY closes at Post Office at 11.30 am and 8 p.m. or in Latter Buxes in the Cars by 12 and 3.39 o'clock frams. Letter Boxes at Peak will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m.

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The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Eutra, which is corrected to a much later hour than that given below. A MAIL WILL CLOSE

For Singapore and Bangkok .- Per Chow Fa. o-day, the 7th inst. at 1130 Am For Straits and London,-Per Java, to-day; the 7th inst., at LL30 a.m. For Shaughai. - Per Ningpo, to-day, the 7th ust., at 3.3) P.M. For Swatow and Shanghal.—Per Canton, to-day, the 7th inst. at 8.30 P.M. For Swatow -- Per Nanshan, to-day, the 7th Inst., at 3.39 P. A. For Amoy and Manila - Per Esmeralda, today, the 7th inst. at 4.30 P.M.

For Saigon -Per Holsiein, to-day, the 7th instruction P.M. For Saigon .- Per Decima, to-day, the 7th nst at 4.30 P.M. For Kaba .- Per Deuteros, to-day, the Pth For Swatow, Amoy, and Tameni.-Per Formosa, to-day, the 7th inst., at 5.00 r.m. For Hollow and Halphong. - Per Hanoi, tomorrow, the 8th inst, at 9.00 A.M.

For Kobe, Yokohama, Victorin, and Tacoma. -Per Victoria, on Tuesday, the 10th inst., at For Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama Viotoria, and Vancouver, B.C.—Per Empress of China, on Wodnesday, the 11th inst., at 11:30 A.M. For Narasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, and San Francisco.—Per City of Rio de Janeiro, on Wednesday, the 11th inst. at 5.00 P.m.

For Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta.-Per Wing Sang, on Friday, the 13th inst. at 11.30 For Singapore -- Por Niobe, on Friday, the 3th inst. at 3.50 P.M. For Nagusaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.-Per Income, on Friday, the 13th inst., at 5.00 P.M.

MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC BALLWAY CO. CONPRACT PACKET. The British Contract Packet Empress of China will be desputched on WEDNESDAY, the 11th April, with Mails for Shanghai, Japan, Janada, United States of America, and countries beyond, vid Vancouver, B.C. The following hours will be observed in losing the Mails, &c. 10,00 x.m. Registry closes.

11,30 A.M. Post Office closes, but correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with the Late Fee of 10 cents extra postage nutil time of departure. The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered govers containing Bank Notes. Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Bagistration has been neglected will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such covers.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet City of Rio de Janeiro will be despatched on WEDNES-DAY, the 11th April: with Mails for Japan. San Francisco, the United States, Canada. Honolulu, Pern, &c., which will be closed as follows: -

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MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet Robilla will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 12th April, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the mails, do. The Post Office declines all responsibility for

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HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in closing the mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 P.M. the day before.

8.00 a.M. - Posting of Prices Current and Cir-(Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 p'eleck if they are tied in bundles country by country, with the addresses all one way. 10.30 A.M. - Posting of newspapers, books, and patterus ceases

11.00 A.M .- Mail closes. LATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.10 AM.) with 10 sents late fee up to 11.30 A.M. after which hour they may be sent on board with the same late fee.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Proket Ozus will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 18th April. with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, via Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Caylon, Calcutta, Adea, Manritius, Egypt, Malta, and The usual hours will be observed in closing he Mails &c. [923] The Post Office declines all responsibility for spregistered Letters containing Bank Notes. Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Regis ation has been neglected, will make no enquiries into

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LATE LETTERS tul 230 P.M. with 10 cents extra postage. The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered! Covers containing Bank Notes, Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquirise into alleged losses of such covers.

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